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A FREE LICENSE

FOR THE COUPLE WHO BRAVE PUBLICITY AT THE STREET FAIR.

AND HOUSE FURNISHED

Most Everything Needed By Newly Wedded Pair—Even the Marriage Ceremony Provided For.

Who wants a bonus of three hundred and twenty-five dollars to begin married life? Whoever does will find that much awaiting him for the simple privilege of letting us all see him assume the matrimonial contract.

The managers of the big street fair which is to be held in Maryville October 9-14 will offer a large number of premiums which the business men have generously donated to the couple who will be publicly married here on Thursday, October 12. Everything will be furnished for a first class wedding from the license to the wedding supper.

The affair will be no joke and no snide affair. The couple must be nice people and the whole affair will be a genteel high class wedding. Rev. W. J. Parvin will perform the ceremony, and he agrees to do it with the explicit understanding that the wedding will be a solemn, high class and orderly affair. Applicants for the opportunity will be treated confidentially, and no one will be given their names. The couple selected will be unknown until after the ceremony.

The wedding will be solemnized on the west steps of the court house. There will be a band concert for an hour before the wedding by one of the best bands in the state, and a short time before the hour set for the bridal couple to appear some sacred music will be played as a signal for everybody to become quiet. There will be appropriate decorations, little flower girls, a wedding feast at the Linville, and everything that goes with a big society wedding.

The committee having this matter in charge are F. R. Marcell, chairman; J. E. Paulette and A. J. Luppold. They expect more donations to this fund, and will be glad to hear from anybody desiring to add something to the already handsome list of presents, which is as follows:

J. Arthur Wray—License.
R. Deschauer—Solid gold wedding ring.
P. Mergen—Bridal bouquet roses.
F. P. Reuillard—Wedding cake.
Campbell-Clark Hardware Co.—Steel cooking range, one of the best in stock.
Hudson & Welch Hardware Co.—No. 18 Peoria Oak heater.
Price & McNeal—Sewing machine.
Schumacher Grocery Co.—Parlor lamp.
Raines Bros.—Set silver knives and forks.

Parisian Millinery Co.—Bride's hat.
Toggerly Shop—Pair fine shoes for bridegroom.
G. B. Holmes & Co.—Clothes basket and sack of flour.
Wm. Everhart—A ton Illinois suttles coal.
Democrat-Forum—Daily subscription one year.
F. R. Marcell—Dozen photographs.
Linville hotel—Supper for wedding party.
Forsyth meat market—Side bacon.
Switzer & Davidson—Box Great American cigars.
Hansen Cigar Co.—100 Party cigars.
Scott Bros.—Racket—Set plates, cups and saucers.
Montgomery Shoe Co.—Pair shoes for bride.
Charles Love—Bottle toilet water.
Bee Hive Shoe Co.—Slippers for bride.
Corwin & Murrin—Stetson hat for groom.

Oscar-Henry Drug Co.—Hair brush.
H. T. Crane—Framed picture.
Bernie Harris—Wedding suit for groom.

Maryville Furniture Co.—White maple kitchen cabinet.
Anderson Clothing Co.—Fine trunk.
J. C. Ferritor Drug Co.—Clothes brush.

Hutton-Aldrich Cigar Co.—Box Lord Lobster cigars.
Maryville Tribune—One year's subscription to Daily.

J. R. Brink & Co.—Two pounds Golden Gate coffee.

Byers & Buhler—One dozen cans of corn.

Cook's Bazaar—Berry bowl.

Eversole Dry Goods Co.—Pair blouses.

F. M. Petty—Axminster rug.

W. H. George Hardware Co.—Copper tea kettle.

Townsend Grocery Co.—Four sacks Gold Corn flour.

M. Nustbaum—Umbrella.

Koch Pharmacy—Assorted toilet articles.

Sawyers & Airy—Box of N. B. C. crackers.

R. S. Braniger—Sack Red Moon Flour.

Evans Variety store—Set pie plates.

Andrews & Hempstead—Sack P. P. P. flour.

H. J. Becker—Cleaning and pressing bride and groom's suits.

C. M. Nicholas meat market—Pail lard.

E. W. Friend—Tonsorial work for groom.

Oliver Vance, one of our colored citizens, tells a Democrat-Forum reporter an interesting story of the life of his grandfather, Henry Vance, who died last week at Des Moines.

Henry Vance was born in Woodford county, Kentucky, in 1815, and was 96 years of age. During his early life he was a slave and lived with Col. Anderson Taylor, who sold him for \$75. He was later sold to the father of H. A. Byers of this city for \$900, and finally passed from his hands for \$350. After the war he went to Iowa, where he continued to reside.

He had sixteen grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren. Oliver Vance of this city is his only surviving grandchild in Nodaway county.

He had a daughter, Maria Vance Graves, whom many of the old settlers of this county will remember. She is said to have been the first colored person born in Nodaway county. She was born in 1839, was the property of John Saunders and remained in his control until Lincoln's emancipation proclamation. She married Linn Graves, and both she and her husband have been dead for a number of years.

WORKING A NEW GRAFT AT FAIRS

John Hook of Paris, Splint Barnett of Mexico and M. V. Harrison of Auxvasse, a trio of well known horsemen, have been effectually "suppressed" for working a new game on the unsophisticated directors and managers of the various fairs of Northwest Missouri. They have, it seems, had themselves appointed judges of cakes and pies and other luxuries at these fairs. If they couldn't get officially appointed they were prepared for emergency with a bundle of blue ribbon. They would go into the booths as judges, and in passing on the Missouri cakes and pies they would satisfy their omnivorous and omnipresent appetites. Of course they would make a bluff to pay for their "meals" but because they had pinned the blue ribbon upon these plates or baskets that contained these good things their owners would naturally smile and bow a pleasant acquiescence.—Mexico Intelligencer.

Left for Wyoming.

Charles W. Ray of Golden Prairie, Wyo., who has been visiting his brother, James W. Ray, the past week, left for his home Tuesday morning. He was accompanied by Henry Heltman and Thomas Kane, living southeast of Maryville, who are going to Wyoming on a business trip and will be his guests while in the Golden Prairie community.

Visited Former Teacher.

Miss Mabel Patterson and Miss Millie Ballanger of near Wilcox visited near Burlington Junction Friday and Saturday with their former school teacher, Mrs. Fred Nicholas.

DIRECTORS ELECTED

PERMANENT CHAUTAUQUA ORGANIZATION FORMED.

HALF STOCK SUBSCRIBED

The Capitalization Will Be \$3,000—Officers Will Be Elected Saturday by Directors.

The Chautauqua committee met last night at the library building and took steps toward forming a permanent organization of the Nodaway County Chautauqua association. A number were present and all were enthusiastic over the prospects for a permanent Chautauqua.

A board of directors was elected, consisting of the following: Prof. W. M. Oakerson, Dr. J. S. Ford, Eld. Claude J. Miller and Prof. P. O. Landon of Maryville, Dr. Rowlett of Graham, Fred Miller of Barnard and Ed Wolfers of Hopkins.

The board was instructed to meet and organize, which it will do next Saturday. It was also decided to incorporate the association with a capital of three thousand dollars. One hundred and fifty shares have already been subscribed to guarantee the expenses of the next Chautauqua.

The next Chautauqua meeting will be held about August 10, and work will begin at once toward securing talent and arranging a program that will eclipse all former efforts if possible. A permanent building may be erected. The Chautauqua meeting this year was very satisfactory both to the public and to the management.

A BIG WAGON LOAD OF TOMATOES

Roy Lippman brought forty-seven bushels of tomatoes to market Tuesday morning from the Adolph Lippman farm, southeast of Maryville, which he is in charge of. Mr. Lippman estimates he will have a crop of 400 bushels if frost does not come too early. He has sold the crop to Andrews & Hempstead of this city, to whom he makes delivery. The tomatoes are of fine uniform size, smooth and rich red in color. The vines bloomed after the drouth was broken, which accounts partly for the splendid yield. They are selling for 50 cents a bushel at present. The forty-seven bushels this morning was the prettiest sight of the kind one could wish to see and attracted much attention.

Clark Strong in Nebraska.

W. A. Townsend, who has just returned from a trip to Nebraska, says that from the talk he heard during his stay in that state, he believes that if Taft is nominated by the Republicans for president and Champ Clark is nominated by the Democrats, that Clark will carry the state by 25,000. But he says if La Follette is nominated by the Republicans and Harmon by the Democrats the state will go for La Follette.

Have a New Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Young of 307 North Buchanan street, announce the birth of a daughter to them Sunday morning, September 17. The little girl is named Bernice. Mr. and Mrs. Young now have three sons and three daughters.

Auto Party From Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr., and their son, Robert Wolfers, and Mrs. F. B. Monroe, of Hopkins, came to Maryville Monday evening in the Wolfers car and visited awhile with friends.

Will Teach in Oklahoma.

Miss Frances Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, left Monday evening for Perry, Okla., where she has accepted the position as teacher of Latin in the high school.

DR. FINN



Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Mothers' Club at Pickering.

A called meeting of the Pickering Mothers' club was held last Thursday afternoon, September 14, at the home of Mrs. Roland Wray to elect officers and appoint committees for the coming club year. In answer to a roll call each lady responded to "What the club has done for me" in a most instructive and entertaining manner. The next meeting will be held the second Friday in October, at the home of the newly elected president, Mrs. Laura Watson. A good attendance is urged. All mothers and girls are welcome, whether in town or country. The Pickering Mothers' club intends to make each year better than the one previous. The members are working and studying constantly to make it better and better.

The new officers are: Mrs. Laura Watson, president; Mrs. E. L. Crowson and Mrs. J. C. Shuff, vice presidents; Mrs. Gordon Swinford, secretary; Mrs. J. S. Garten, corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. I. Hood, treasurer.

Members of the executive committee, Mrs. Lon Fine, Mrs. John McGuire and Mrs. Roland Wray.

Program committee is comprised of Mrs. F. M. Lindenmeyer and Mrs. Howard Wray.

Members of committee to confer with the public school teachers of Pickering to secure their co-operation in the work of the Mothers' club are Mrs. J. C. Shuff, Mrs. E. L. Crowson and Mrs. Gordon Swinford.

Observed His Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders and daughter, Marian, were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan of Quitman last Saturday at a family dinner, to observe the fourteenth birthday anniversary of the one son and heir of the Ryan household, Harold Ryan, who is Mrs. Sanders' nephew. Little Miss Marian had a part in two social affairs that day, the birthday dinner of her cousin and the party of the little Raines sisters. That's what an automobile makes possible.

For Visitors From DuQueen.

Mrs. Edward Tobin and her little daughter, Thelma, of DuQueen, Ark., were honor guests at a dinner party given Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cummins. The company included Mrs. Tobin and Thelma, Mr. Christopher Cummins, Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins and family, Miss Nelle Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cummins and son, Kieren; the host and hostess and their son and daughter, Frank Cummins and Miss Marguerite.

Omitted From Guest List.

The names of the two out-of-town guests at the party given by the little Misses Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret Raines Saturday afternoon were unintentionally omitted. They were Thelma Tobin of DuQueen, Ark., who is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael M. Tobin, and Master Edwin Shack of Seattle, Wash., who is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Frank Bellows, and other relatives.

Mrs. Townsend Hostess.

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend has issued invitations for a card party Wednesday afternoon in compliment to Miss Dorothy Pierce and her guest, Miss Geraldine Coffee of Steelville.

A CURTAIN RAISER IS BUFFALO BILL

Four centuries ago the civilized world in its confines on the European continent was surrounded by an impenetrable curtain that might be called "the mystery of the beyond." The footlights were on the eastern shore of the Atlantic, illuminating nothing except a vast sea as a stage; its back-drop or curtain was penetrated by Columbus, who was followed by innumerable actors in the drama of discovery who followed his initiative. Slowly these, then, looked upon as adventurers, but really soldiers and missionaries, lifted curtain after curtain, led by Cortez on the south, Ponce De Leon and De Soto along the gulf, and the French voyagers from the times of Champlain to Marquette, crossing the Alleghenies and the lakes, until he and La Salle, the great soldier of France, halted on the banks of the north Mississippi. Decades of each century went by, each marking an advance, until the comparatively, to us, early days of Washington and Crockett along the Ohio, then of Louis and Clark, Fremont and Carson and their kind, who assisted to

THE PUNKIN SHOW

MARYVILLE WILL HELP SKIDMORE CELEBRATE IN OCTOBER.

INVITATION IS ACCEPTED

Whether in Carriages, Autos or on Foot, We're All Going and Looking at the Pumpkins.

All aboard for the big "punkin" show. Skidmore was here in full force Tuesday, and they say it is the next big thing on the docket. Eleven auto loads of leading citizens, headed by Col. Dan R. Baker of the New Era, came over with banners flying to let us know they are still on the map, and to invite us to their big annual picnic. They had a band which serenaded the people with music while discouraging on their attractions.

We are going. We may go in autos and we may have to walk, but we are going. We haven't seen a big pumpkin, the kind they used to raise and bring to the country fairs, for these many years, and we are going to Skidmore.

The party were on a tour of the county advertising the show, and took dinner here. They have secured five hundred dollars' worth of free attractions and will offer premiums for a considerable amount. Public speakers will be there to entertain, and every form of amusement will be provided for those who come.

They are all coming up to the big street fair, too.

Boys Will Play Ball.

The north side and south side boys will play another game of ball at Riffe's park tomorrow, Wednesday, afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock. An admission of 10 and 15 cents will be charged. There has been quite a rivalry between the north side and south side boys and a hot game is expected. At the last game the south side boys put it over their opponents, and a battle royal will be fought Wednesday.

LITERARY SOCIETIES READY FOR WORK

As is the custom at the beginning of a new school quarter, the two literary societies were organized Friday night in the regular society rooms at the Normal. Mr. Gillis was elected president of the Philomathean society and Miss Unslow was elected president of the Eureka society. These societies will meet every two weeks, beginning next Friday night. Their programs will include debates, orations, musical numbers of various descriptions, and at times talks by different members of the faculty.

Immediately following the chapel exercises Monday morning about thirty-five young men students volunteered to take an active part in a Y. M. C. A. which is to be organized at once. Mr. Harrington and Mr. Leag, both of the faculty, will have the direction of the meetings. The Y. M. C. A. of the Normal has already been organized and is progressing nicely.

Eastman Kodak and supplies at Crane's.

The Weather

Fair tonight and Wednesday.

Not ANY Glasses



Don't forget that there ARE Glasses that will do your eyes more harm than good.

The lenses for YOU must be ground to your measure, just the same as a druggist puts up a prescription.

Glasses chosen in any other way are a positive danger. This point cannot be given too much emphasis.

It is as easy for you to get the right kind as the wrong.

We will choose them for you, and do it in such a way that mistakes are impossible. At

CRANE'S

We Want to Make Our Store Your Store

To make you feel that HERE you can buy the thing you WANT—buy them BETTER and CHEAPER than elsewhere. TO KNOW that we strive always to win your friendly patronage by courteous, honest service. We want to be able always to give you satisfaction. To do that, we must first know you, your tastes and desires. We are confident of success if you will

PUT US TO THE TEST.
Hotchkiss' Variety Store
106 South Main St.

Dr. Gertrude DuVall The Fitting of Glasses a Specialty.

114 1/2 South Main Street.

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40 cents per week.

**Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County**

Make your arrangements to come to
the big street fair.

The ice trust is getting ready to vote
in favor of the coal trust.

Canada will decide the reciprocity
question in its elections Thursday.

For good job printing quickly done
at reasonable prices bring your work
to The Democrat-Forum. We take
pleasure in working for particular
people.

Congressman Booher was appointed
by Speaker Clark to represent Mis-
souri at the funeral of Congressman
Latta of Nebraska last week, but Mr.
Booher was unable to attend on ac-
count of his own illness. He is just
recovering from a severe attack of
fever.

The sudden death of Representative
Madison of Kansas removes another
valuable member from the halls of
congress. Mr. Madison was an insur-
gent Republican and was rated as one
of the strong members of the house.
Since the close of the extra session
the membership of the house has lost
four members, Messrs. Loudenslager
of New Jersey, Latta of Nebraska and
one member from Minnesota. Just be-
fore the close of the session Repre-
sentatives Mitchell of Kansas and
Wilson of Pennsylvania died, and
during the last few weeks Senator
Frye of Maine went to his last reward.
Of those mentioned two were Demo-
crats and three were insurgent Repub-
licans.

Maryville has as good a board of
public works now as it would be pos-
sible to get together. Mayor Robey
deserves great credit for the judgment
and regard for the public welfare he
has manifested in the selection of this
board, which is the first step toward
a successful culmination of city own-
ership of the water plant. The board
was appointed and confirmed by the
council Friday night, and Saturday it
was organized and went to work. This
board is possessed of energy, indus-
try, determination, good judgment
and perfect honesty, which is about all
that can be desired, and their work
will be watched with great interest
and confidence by the public. It should
be remembered, however, that they
have a big problem before them, and
final results should not be expected
too early.

Not Many Depositors.
Uncle Sam's postal savings bank
doesn't seem to be creating much ex-
citement in Maryville, where there are
four good banks to compete with. The
postoffice bank has now been in op-
eration more than a month, and only
about one hundred dollars has been
deposited. Evidently there isn't much
left under the carpets and in old
stockings.

At Your Own Price.
The large Lincoln lamp in Evans'
Variety store window. Twenty-five
cents taken off each day until sold.
Two doors west of postoffice. 19-20

Latest post cards. 1 cent each, at
Crane's.

SAGE TEA WILL DARKEN THE HAIR

Restore Faded and Gray Hair to
Natural Color—Dandruff Quick-
ly Removed.

There is nothing new about the idea
of using sage for restoring the color
of the hair. Our great-grandmothers
kept their locks soft, dark and glossy
by using a "sage tea." Whenever their
hair fell out or took on a dull, faded
or streaked appearance they made a
brew of sage leaves and applied it to
their hair, with wonderfully beneficial
effect.

Nowadays we don't have to resort
to old-time, tiresome methods of gather-
ing the herbs and making the tea.
This is done by skillful chemists bet-
ter than we could do it ourselves, and
all we have to do is to call for the
ready-made product, Wyeth's Sage and
Sulphur Hair Remedy, containing sage
in the proper strength, with the addi-
tion of sulphur, another old-time scalp
remedy.

The manufacturers of this remedy
authorize druggists to sell it under
guarantee that the money will be re-
funded if it fails to do exactly as re-
presented.

Don't neglect your hair. Get a
bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur
today, and notice the difference after
a few day's use.

This preparation is offered to the
public at fifty cents a bottle, and is
recommended and sold by all drug-
gists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Two Merry Tramps.

Of "Two Merry Tramps" many
pleasing things have been said by the
critics, not only in the larger cities
but in the night stands as well, dur-
ing the past season where "Two Merry
Tramps" has been presented, about
Wood & Ward's production, the play
being strictly a musical comedy with
three acts and a bevy of pretty girls.

The title of the piece is somewhat
misleading, but it is only the title, for
from the rise to the fall of the curtain
it is just one of the cleanest, jolliest
and liveliest comedies that has en-
livened the musical field. Never for
an instant does it bring a blush, but
instead brings laughter that is ir-
repressible. For the past eight sea-
sons it has played to packed houses in
the middle west and appeals to the
elite of fashion and all that is refined.
The comedy is natural, the music
catchy, the scenery magnificent, the
costumes gorgeous and the cast all
that is desired.

This attraction will be the offering
at the Empire theater September 22.

Gone to Conference.

Rev. J. R. Carter, pastor of the Afri-
can M. E. church, left Tuesday morn-
ing for St. Joseph to attend the con-
ference. Rev. Carter has made a good
record here and done good work, hav-
ing raised during the past year a to-
tal of \$935 to apply on their church
building.

WILD WEST, OR? EMPIRE THEATER, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.



Two Hot Tamalas.

Those Famous Funny Fellows,
Wood and Ward, with a Gorgeous
Gowned Group of Gibson Girls, pre-
sented that hop, step and jump
musical tom-foolery, "Two Merry
Tramps," a singy song farce with mu-
sic, mirth and melody. Three hundred
and sixty-five days ahead of them all
when it comes to novelties. Remem-
ber it's on wild west night, September
22. Prices, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

PLATTE VALLEY.

Fine weather, only a little bit hot,
has prevailed for the past week in the
valley.

Wheat sowing is right on hand now,
and some are sowing this week in this
vicinity.

Born, to James Neilson and wife,
September 8, a boy. Jim steps high
nowadays.

Born, to W. T. Throckmorton and
wife, September 8, a boy. This is boy
No. 5 at Wid's.

Mary Richards spent Sunday with
her sister, Mrs. John Dougan.

W. B. Torrance and family spent
Sunday at C. C. Nelson's.

A Mr. Roberts and wife of independ-
ence, Mo., who is a commercial trav-
eling salesman, stopped over Sunday
in Guilford and attended service at
the L. D. Saints church.

A. O. Beck and wife of Bristle Ridge
were guests at C. C. Nelson's Sunday.

Elder A. C. Silvers is holding a pro-
tracted meeting at the Whiteford
school house this week. He discoursed
at 11 o'clock Sunday in the L. D. S.
church in Guilford on the text Romans
12:1.

Toal Davis and wife, Mrs. Clifford
Beggs and Mary Pederson of White
Oak neighborhood, were visiting at
Jim Neilson's Sunday, seeing that new
boy.

The Barnard-Guilford Telephone
company has completed its new line
from town to town, and has taken on
Mike Byergo. Mike says for the
widows and old maids to call him now
and he will be there to answer.

The Long Branch Telephone com-
pany has begun the repairing of its
line, and the Roosevelt company con-
templates repairing its line in the near
future. So all lines running west of
town will be in good repair.

The Guilford Times editor and fam-
ily visited Sunday at Dan Skidmore's.

John Kent, from southwest of Bol-
ckow was in the valley Saturday and
Sunday. He will move into the valley
right away and live on the Jim Davis
farm till March. Walter Halfhill, who
now lives in the house, will move to
the W. R. Thompson place, just south
of Henry Brown's.

Cutting corn seems to be an inter-
esting pastime nowadays.

James Lucas and family visited at
John Butts' Sunday in Guilford.

Mrs. Millie M. Skidmore, aged moth-
er of Hugh Skidmore, died last Mon-
day, September 11, 1911, aged 88 years
7 months 29 days. Rev. S. E. Hoover
conducted the funeral services. Burial
in the Graves cemetery.

John Nelson, wife, son Earl and
daughter Goldie returned Saturday
from a visit with relatives near Ave-
nue City, and a ten days' outing at-
tending the L. D. S. reunion at Stew-
artsville.

Andrew Nelson and family spent
Sunday on Bristle Ridge, guests of W.
T. Nelson.

Dick Nelson and family visited Sun-
day at Grandma Shores'.

Apple picking is indulged in by sev-
eral in the valley. Apples are a very
good quality this year, and tolerably
plenty here.

The Guilford telephone exchange is
in working order now, after a long de-
lay. They are in a new home and have
new operators. So now every farm
line running into Guilford should see
to it that the line is in good repair,
then good service will be secured.

Gideon Miller of Maryville is in
Guilford buying apples, also Ballard
& Carver, the old apple men, are buy-
ing.

Guilford intends to have a corn and
poultry show this fall. Quite an in-
terest is taken in these gatherings, and
they are instructive and profitable.

White Woman Breaking Rock.

The Mexico Intelligencer has the
following in its Monday edition:

"Lucy Lindsey, a white woman hail-
ing from Callaway county, in the vi-
cinity of Fulton, is busily engaged in
making little rocks out of big ones at
the city work house. Hers is not a
voluntary occupation, but the result
of being fined \$57.50 in the police
court Monday morning on the charge
of disorderly conduct on the streets.
With a metal 'gavel,' the white wom-
an sits beside a negro, who pounds
on a similar charge, and hammers
away, pausing now and then to com-
ment adversely on the action of the
police judge and the city authorities."
A Kansas judge who ordered a wom-
an to the rock pile for a scandalous
disregard of law and decency aroused
a tremendous storm of indignation,
the woman was liberated and the judge
narrowly escaped with his office.

Going to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wray and lit-
tle daughters of Pickering expect to
leave Saturday for Chicago on a visit
to Mrs. Wray's mother, Mrs. Mattie
Beckwith.

Frank W. Armstrong went to St. Jo-
seph Monday evening on business.

Dr. McDowell in Town.

Dr. E. T. McDowell of Okmulgee,
Okla., and his little daughter, Mary
Margaret arrived in Maryville Monday
night from Sterling, Col., where they
have been several weeks with his wife
and family. Mrs. Walker and sons,
Walker and John, will remain in Den-
ver, Colo., until after frost comes in
Oklahoma, on account of the affliction
from asthma that one of the boys suf-
fers. Mary Margaret will remain in
Maryville with her grandmother, Mrs.
J. W. McDowell, until her mother
comes to Maryville on her way to
Oklahoma.

Returned From Texas.

Mrs. John Gex and son and daugh-
ter, Anthony and Loretta, of Graham,
returned Tuesday noon from Higgins,
Texas, where they spent two weeks
visiting her father, W. G. Wilson. Mrs.
Gex's sister, Mrs. George P. Wright,
who accompanied her, was met in
Kansas City by Mr. Wright, and went
to Sedalia to visit his brother, Albert
Wright, who is in the grocery busi-
ness there.

Left for Wisconsin.

Mrs. H. L. Cook of Water Ford, Wis.,
who has been the guest of her niece,
Mrs. Hal T. Hooker, and family, left
for her home Tuesday. Mrs. Cook
came to Maryville from St. Joseph,
where she visited her nephew, Arthur
Rush and family.

Will Live With Grandmother.

Miss Bessie Brown, the daughter of
Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, left Friday
night for Columbia, Mo., to attend the
state university. She will make her
home with her grandmother, Mrs. M.
C. Brown.

Returned to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Julia Demske of St. Joseph,
who had been visiting her daughter,
Mrs. C. C. Young and family, for two
weeks, returned to her home Monday
evening.

Returned to Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wiseman, who
have been visiting Mrs. Wiseman's
sister, Mrs. H. Edwards, and family,
left Monday evening for their home in
Centralia, Kan.

Went to Illinois.

Mrs. P. O. Landon and son, Court,
left for Jerseyville, Ill., Tuesday to
visit Prof. Landon's mother, Mrs.
Mary Landon.

Here From St. Louis.

Mrs. Luster Johnson of St. Louis
arrived in Maryville Monday morning
on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
John W. Coleman of East First street.

Deputy Postmaster Improving.

Deputy Postmaster Scribner Beech
is improving from his illness, and the
threatened case of typhoid fever is
now overcome, we are glad to say.

Went to St. Joseph.

J. F. Montgomery and son, R. Bruce
Montgomery, went to St. Joseph Tues-
day morning in Mr. Montgomery's car
to spend the day.

Suits Filed.

Ulysses W. Hall vs. Clem Smith, ap-
peal from justice court.
Bank of Pickering vs. O. E. Bradley,
suit on note.

Mrs. W. C. Ellison and her daugh-
ters, Mrs. E. M. Holland of Hot
Springs, Ark., who is visiting her, and
Miss Susie Ellison went to St. Joseph
Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Sarah Evans and her brother,
W. H. Moore, of Henderson, Ill., who
is visiting her, left for Bedison and
Ravenwood Tuesday to visit Mrs.
Evans' sons and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bagley and
children of Quitman were in Maryville
Tuesday on their way to Worth county
to visit Mr. Bagley's brother, Bert
Bagley, and family.

Mrs. Mary McGuire and little daugh-
ter returned Monday evening from a
visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.
W. McGuire at Pickering.

Emory Dunham and son of West-
boro are in Maryville today, making
arrangements for the young man to
enter the Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. McGarry and son, liv-
ing seven miles east of Maryville,
went to Kansas City Tuesday morning
for a few days' visit.

Miss Bertha Snapp of Kansas City,
who has been visiting her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. John Snapp, returned home
Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Stuckley and her nephew,
Paul Felix, of Clyde spent Tuesday
forenoon in Maryville on business.

Mrs. F. H. Sandford of Lansing,
Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W.
A. Tindall.

Mrs. J. E. Huff of near Wilcox was
shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

Miss Julia Vincent of Shenandoah,
la was in Maryville Tuesday.

Latest stationery for correspond-
ence at Crane's.

MITCHELL

The car with the guarantee, built to stand
rough usage with plenty of power.

Quiet and easy to handle, fore door, four
cylinder, 4 1/2 by 5 inch motor, 34 inch wheels with
4 inch tires, full floating axles.

Brass enameled, no polishing. Guaranteed
for life. The factory will replace any defective
parts free of charge during the life of the car.

Come in and look it over and take a ride.

GEO. McMURRY

At Robey's Garage

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—7,500. Market weak. Esti-
mate tomorrow, 18,000.
Hogs—16,000. Market 5c lower; top,
\$7.27. Estimate tomorrow, 21,000.
Sheep—50,000. Market 10c lower.
KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—14,000. Market weak.
Hogs—12,000. Market 5c lower;
top, \$7.00.
Sheep—15,000. Market 10c lower.
ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—2,600. Market strong.
Hogs—5,200. Market weak; top,
\$7.00.
Sheep—3,000. Market 10c lower.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 18.
—Cattle receipts, 6,000. Steady to
strong market today. Top steers,
\$7.75. Best steers, \$7.00 or better,
and butcher cattle unchanged since
last Monday; plain to medium steers
15c lower. A steady prospect for all
choice cattle.

Hog receipts, 11,000. Market 5@10c
lower; top, \$7.30; bulk, \$7.00@7.25.
Liberal receipts bound to break mar-
ket.

Sheep receipts, 1,500. Market strong
on good kinds today; others dull. Com-
pared with last Monday, lambs are
25@35c higher; top, \$5.90, paid by a
butcher today. Sheep 10@15c higher;
top, \$3.65.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Eggs Wanted at Evans' Variety Store.

We carry a full line of underwear,
hosiery, overalls, shirts, sweaters, lad-
ies' skirts, outing flannels, muslin,
table linen, overshoes, all kinds of no-
tions. Two doors west of postoffice.
19-20

Will Winter in California.

Mrs. Sarah Kelley left Tuesday
morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where
she will spend the fall and winter
with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Wolf, who
lives at 3792 Vermont avenue.

FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs
of the unusual laxative merit con-
tained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
is that it is effective not only in peo-
ple in the prime of life, but at the
extremes of ages. As many letters
are received from mothers regarding
the cures of children, as from men and
women of sixty, seventy and eighty
years of age. It must be truly a won-
derful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and
bowel trouble in old people it has no
equal. It corrects the constipation,
dispels the headache, biliousness, gas,
drowsiness after eating, etc. People
advancing in years should see to it
that their bowels move freely, and
if they do not to take Dr. Caldwell's

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your
life by healthy bowel action. Clogged
bowels invite disease. Women about
to pass the menstrual period cannot
do better than use Syrup Pepsin sev-
eral times a week until the system has
settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr.
W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and
Mr. George S. Spaulding of the Na-
tional Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both
elderly men. The regular size bottles
can be bought of any druggist at fifty
cents and one dollar, but a free sam-
ple bottle can be had by sending your
address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell,
541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at public sale at the Lewis Snapp farm 12 miles south-
west of Maryville and 5 miles northwest of Barnard, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21st

The following property:

7 Head of Horses—1 pair brood mares, 4 and 5 years old, both bred to
jack; 1 span driving mares, 4 years old, gentle, broke; one 2-year-old filly,
1 yearling mule, 1 weanling mule colt.

45 Head of Cattle—22 choice milch cows giving milk and as good a lot
of milkers as you will find in the country, 8 yearling heifers, 14 head
calves, 1 yearling Holstein bull.

86 Head of Hogs—40 spring shoats, 5 sows with 40 young pigs, one
Chester White boar.

15 Tons of Hay—Some baled, balance in the barn.

Implements—1 wagon, spring wagon, disc cultivator, disc harrow, 2
walking cultivators, 1 go-devil, 1 plow, lister and drill combined. Some
household and kitchen furniture. Cream separator and other things too
numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit
of 6 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.
Lunch furnished by ladies of Pleasant Grove church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer, Jas. Fields, Clerk.

PHILPS & SNAPP.

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First Week in October

TAFT REPLIES TO COURT CRITICS

Challenges Them to Substantiate Trust Charges.

CASE DISCUSSED IN SPEECH.

President Goes Over Standard Oil and Tobacco Trust Decisions at Detroit. Urges Opposition to Name Trade Restraint Not Condemned.

Detroit, Sept. 19.—President Taft plunged into the political phase of his long trip through the west, and delivered one of the set speeches which may have a determining effect upon his future. Mr. Taft chose the trusts for his first speech, and outlined at length his position regarding this issue.

In a second speech he answered the charge that he has used patronage to further his own ends, and challenged the men who had made the charge to come forward and join him in an extension of civil service practically to all of the appointive offices under the government.

The president announced his unqualified opposition to any amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law designed to overthrow the "rule of reason" laid down by the United States supreme court in the Standard Oil and tobacco trust cases, and challenged W. J. Bryan and all other critics of the court to cite a restraint of trade which they would condemn and which would not be condemned under Mr. Justice White's definition of the law.

At the chamber of commerce luncheon President Taft said, in part:

"My Fellow Citizens: I propose to take up the question which has occupied the attention of the American people for now twenty years, that of industrial combinations known as 'trusts.' During the last year we have had two great decisions by the supreme court of the United States. They are epoch making, and the public has not yet come to realize the effect that those decisions are certain to have. It is not that the construction which the court has put upon the act is different from that which most members of the profession, and most subordinate courts, and indeed the supreme court itself, had before indicated as the proper construction of the statute; but it is that it is now finally settled, by two fully considered decisions in respect to two of the largest and most powerful of these combinations, what their illegality consists in, and how they are to be treated, in view of the finding that they are illegal and do violate the provisions of the so called anti-trust or Sherman act.

"Persons who do not understand the effect of these decisions and really do not understand the law have a great deal to say which is intended to lead the public to the belief that in some way or other the supreme court has emasculated the statute and prevented its operation against objectionable and injurious trade combinations and conspiracies. Nothing is further from the truth.

"Now, I would like to ask Mr. Bryan or any other publicists and jurists who have been denouncing this opinion as the surrender of the rights of the people and a usurpation of judicial power to tell the public what particular contract or restraint of interstate trade he would condemn which would not be condemned within this definition of the court. The difficulty with the literal construction of the statute is that it would denounce a great many minor or incidental restraints of trade, which made the statute ridiculous and weakened its effect and lent support to the criticisms and contemptuous treatment of the statute by those who were opposed to its passage and enforcement.

"I repeat again, that in spite of all the denunciations that we have heard of the decisions of the supreme court in the Standard Oil and tobacco cases, there is not one who has criticized them that can formulate a contract in restraint of trade that ought to come within the statute that does not come within it under the decision of the supreme court.

"Under these conditions, I am entirely opposed to an amendment of the anti-trust law. It is now a valuable government asset and instrument. Tested and brought into practical and beneficial use by twenty years of litigation and construction by the highest court, why should we imperil its usefulness by experiments? The outcry sought to be raised in some quarters, followed by proposals of amendments prepared without a real understanding of the law or the court's decisions, may serve the purpose of promoting unreasonableness and unreasoning discontent, but certainly ought not to be considered seriously."

Farmers to Be Given Aid.

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 19.—Farmers of Tulsa county, who suffered from the drought of the last summer, are especially interested in a special county election today to vote \$600,000 in bonds for road improvement. Advocates of the movement have promised that if the bonds carry contracts will so be let that these farmers may obtain employment at road building. The passage of the bonds will make a total of \$1,000,000 available in the county for good roads.

M. KOKOVSOFF.

Russian Minister of Finance, Who Escaped As Stolypin Was Shot.



MADISON OF KANSAS DIES AT THE TABLE

Insurgent Congressman Stricken With Heart Disease.

Dodge City, Kan., Sept. 19.—Congressman Madison was attacked with heart failure while eating breakfast with his wife. Death was almost instantaneous. Following the attack, he was unable to speak. He died in the arms of his wife.

Mr. Madison's two daughters are in Washington D. C. No steps toward the funeral arrangements will be taken before tomorrow.

A physician reached the Madison home within a few minutes of the attack, but the congressman was dead. Physicians stated the cause of death was heart disease.

Congressman Madison had not been in good health for a year, being a sufferer from stomach trouble, but at no



E. H. MADISON.

time had his condition been alarming. During the recent session of congress he took an active part in the reciprocity debates. He was a member of the labor committee. He was also a member of the special committee which investigated Secretary Ballinger of the interior department.

Congressman Madison was one of the best known insurgent Republicans in congress. Public attention especially was drawn to him when on Sept. 7, 1910, while the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee was in session in Minneapolis he voted with the Democratic members in favor of a resolution providing for the removal of Secretary Ballinger from office.

Mr. Madison was born in Plymouth, Ill., in 1865. He came to Kansas in 1885. He was elected county attorney of Ford county in 1888. In 1900 he became a Kansas district judge, which position he resigned in 1906 to become a candidate for congress. He served in congress since that year.

This George Kimmel Out of Prison.

Auburn, N. Y., Sept. 19.—George Kimmel, a convict whom it is said, the New York Life Insurance company spent \$10,000 to locate and who claims to be George A. Kimmel of Niles, Mich., was released from Auburn prison and left for Niles to establish his identity. The insurance company maintains that he is Kimmel and declines to pay \$25,000 life insurance, while Edna Bonsett, sister of the true George A. Kimmel and beneficiary on the policies, together with her mother, Stella Kimmel, have denounced the convict as an impostor.

Veteran New York Democrat Is Dead.

New York, Sept. 19.—Assemblyman James Oliver, one of the veterans of the state legislature, known to his friends as "Paradise Jimmie," died here after a long illness.

Lines Drawn in Canada

Big Clash Over Reciprocity Will Take Place Thursday.

EACH SIDE VERY CONFIDENT.

Premier Laurier Arrives in Ottawa in High Spirits and Expresses Confidence in Establishment of Reciprocity—Estimate of Opposition.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 19.—The lines were tightened in the political contest last week and organizations perfected, preparatory to the final clash Thursday in the big battle over reciprocity. The indications are that an enormous vote will be polled and that eighteen of the twenty-seven seats in the west will go to the government and nine to the opposition.

Outside of Winnipeg interest centers on three seats where former Canadian Pacific railway solicitors are running as anti-reciprocity candidates.

In Manitoba the opposition candidates are greatly aided by the Robt. government organization. Despite this, the reciprocity feeling is so strong that the Liberals will probably add four seats to the two they had in the last parliament.

Each Side Confident.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 19.—Semi-official estimates of Canadian election results have been obtained from both parties and they show the greatest possible difference in expected results. Liberals are confident that the government will be returned and, after careful inquiry into the situation in each province and every constituency, claim the Laurier administration will have a clear majority of sixty-three. The estimate of the Conservatives has been made with equal care and they declare that the election will give opposition leader Borden a clear majority of thirty-nine seats.

Premier Laurier has arrived in Ottawa in high spirits and unimpaired health. To political friends here he expressed himself as increasingly assured of the continuance of his regime and the establishment of reciprocity.

MAINE WETS WIN BY 26

Official Returns Show That Majority for Repeal.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 19.—Complete official returns from the special election, when Maine voted on the question of the repeal of the constitutional prohibitory amendment, as canvassed by the governor and council showed a majority of twenty-six votes in favor of repeal. Various discrepancies were found in the official returns as compared with the tabulations compiled by the secretary of state's office. The latter indicated a majority for repeal of 128.

Strike on Three Irish Roads.

Dublin, Sept. 19.—The general strike declared on the Great Southern and Western railroad is spreading over three great systems, the Great Southern, the Midland Great Western and the Great Northern. Some of the main line trains were being operated in charge of apprentices and clerks. The strikers hurled stones at the trains and tried to shoot a signal man who refused to leave his box.

Two Slain in Street Fight.

Marion, Ill., Sept. 19.—Mat Mancuso and Salvatore Cacia, Italian miners living in White River, a mining camp on the edge of Marion, were killed in a street fight. One of the men had eight gunshot wounds in his body. The sheriff formed a posse and chased the other combatants, two of whom were arrested. They refused to tell their names and were locked up.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

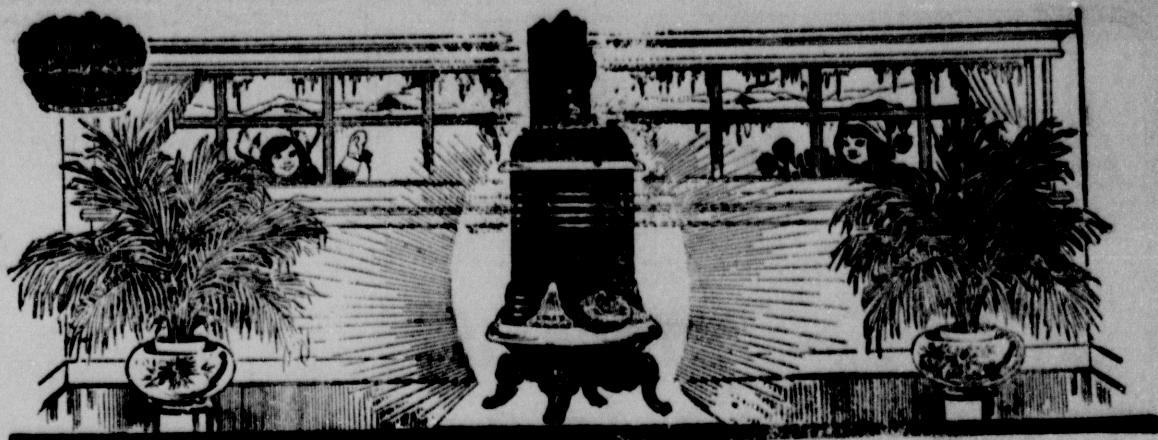
Chicago, Sept. 18.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 92½¢; Dec., 95½¢. Corn—Sept., 68¢; Dec., 64½¢. Oats—Sept., 42½¢; Dec., 45½¢. Pork—Jan., \$15.25. Lard—Oct., \$9.27½; Jan., \$9.00. Ribs—Oct., \$8.45; Jan., \$8.05. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, 94½¢; No. 2 corn, 67½¢; No. 2 white oats, 44½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Receipts—Receipts, 23,000; steady to shade up; beefs, \$4.90@8.15; western steers, \$4.10@7.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.80; cows and heifers, \$2.25@6.25; calves, \$6.50@9.50. Mogs—Receipts, 25,000; 5c off; light, \$6.80@7.32½; mixed, \$6.65@7.15; heavy, \$6.60@7.27½; rough, \$6.60@6.80; pigs, \$4.50@5.90; bulk, \$6.80@7.20. Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; steady; natives, \$2.25@4.15; westerns, \$2.50@4.15; yearlings, \$3.70@4.40; lambs, \$4.00@6.10.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; steady; beef steers, \$5.00@6.25; cows and heifers, \$2.90@4.35; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@4.30; bulls, \$3.45@4.10; calves, \$4.25@7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,600; 5¢10¢ lower; rough heavy, \$6.70@6.75; mixed, \$6.75@6.80; best underweight animals brought \$5.90. Sheep—Receipts, 38,000; 10¢ higher; good ewes brought \$2.50@3.65; choice wethers were wanted at \$3.85@4.00, and lambs ranged



Plants May Be Kept Throughout The Winter

Throughout zero weather you can keep your house plants by using Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater.

This heater maintains a steady even temperature day and night. It will hold fire and heat over night and you can heat your living rooms for two hours next morning with the coal put in the night before.

The patented construction of

Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

enables the manufacturer to guarantee it to remain always air-tight.

You have perfect control over the fire at all times. Thus, the coal does not waste away and you don't have to kindle a fire in the morning as with other stoves.

Think of it! Your dressing rooms and breakfast rooms warmed by the fuel put in the night before.

This truly great heater is growing in popular favor year after year. The following is a message just received from the manufacturer:

We are working full force to supply the demand

for Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater—Never in

our history was the demand so heavy for our

better finished heaters.

Cole Manufacturing Co.

Now is the time to select your heater. We will set one aside for you and have it ready when you wish it put up.

Burns Soft Coal, Slack, Lignite, Hard Coal, Wood and lighter fuel.

Come now while the assortment is complete.

Cole's Hot Blast Stoves and Ranges Sold With Confidence They are the Best Made.

CAMPBELL & CLARK

South Side Hardware Men

This Store Can Serve Your Needs Better Than any Other It Gives the Opportunity.

Drillers at Work Again.

The drillers at the Everhart ice plant began work again this morning, after a rest of three days. They were down to a depth of fifty feet when they quit work Friday evening. They have been hindered considerably by loose rock and by water which causes a tendency of cave in. Mr. Everhart's intentions are to go down until he finds sheet water, if it is possible to find it.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coulter of Arkoe were in Maryville on business Monday.

FOR INDIGESTION.

Bad Dreams, Nervousness, Bitterness and All Stomach Misery.

Go to the Orear-Henry Drug Co. today. Don't procrastinate—get a 50 cent box of Mi-o-na stomach tablets and get rid of all that annoying gas, sourness, heartburn, bloating and heaviness. The Orear-Henry Drug Co. guarantees them.

There wouldn't be so many deaths from acute indigestion if sufferers would constantly carry a few Mi-o-na tablets with them.

Read this from a man 64 years old and then decide whether you prefer to suffer longer or not.

"I am on my second box of Mi-o-na. I received relief after taking two doses. I feel like a different man. I am 64 years old and Mi-o-na is the best thing I ever used for stomach trouble."—J. M. Burger, R. F. D. No. 3, box 58, Wooster, Ohio. Fifty cents for a large box of stomach tablets at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

No Room on the Bases.

The umpire scouts overlooked this indicator man. The following is a sample of his work:

The Atlanta, Ga., Deppens and the Birmingham, Ala., Gold Dusters, negro base ball teams, were playing a strenuous game in Atlanta. In one inning the Gold Dusters had the bases full with no outs. An ebony-hued batter stepped to the plate. The pitcher sent the sphere to the catcher.

"One ball," called the negro umpire. Again the pitcher got busy.

"Two balls!" called the umpire.

After the third ball pitched the man with the indicator shouted:

"Three balls!" Once more the sphere went across the plate.

"Fo' balls, yo' out!" shouted the umpire. The batter was highly indignant.

"What?" he yelled, "Me out? Whah yo' git dat, niggah?"

"Now, look a-heah, man," said the umpire; "yo' gotta be out. Dey ain't no room fo' yo' on the bases."

Charles Hyslop went to Kansas City Tuesday morning on business.

OWL NEST NO. 1482

Tuesday 8 p. m.

Initiation of Some Real Thoroughbreds Don't miss the fun.

Berney Harris, Pres.

John Hansen, Secy.

Miss Leah McElroy of the Alderman dry goods store went to Fairfax Tuesday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. H. A. Irwin.

Not a Word of Scandal

Marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spauld of Manville, Wyo., who said: "She told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman." Easy, but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25c at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vision—also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL AND SEE WELL IF YOU HAVE THEM FITTED AT

Raines Brothers JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

100 West Third Street.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to move to town I will sell at public auction at my farm 1 mile south and 1 mile east of Maryville, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER,

The following described property, to-wit:

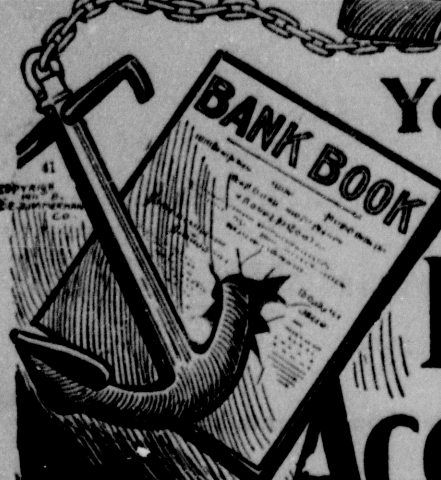
HORSES—1 family mare, weight 1,500 lbs.; 1 single driver 6 years old, weight 1,200 lbs., is bred to Roleofson's horse. **CATTLE**—3 extra good milch cows, 1 fresh; 4 head yearling heifers, 1 yearling steer, 1 spring calf. **HOGS**—5 brood sows and 40 spring shoats, weighing about 110 lbs. **IMPLEMENTS**—1 wagon, 1 surry, 1 buggy, 1 mowing machine and rake, 1 sweep rake, 1 John Deere cultivator, 1 stirring plow, listing drill, 1 corn sheller. **GRAIN AND HAY**—200 bu. old corn, 25 tons hay. **MISCELLANEOUS**—150 chickens, 10 stands bees, 1 DeLaval cream separator, household and kitchen furniture, 2 sets buggy harness, 1 good set work harness.

Sale to commence at 10:30 o'clock sharp.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer
M. J. DOUGAN, Clerk.

JOHN MAHONEY

Anchor



Bank BOOK

Yourselves to a Bank Account

A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will his confidence in himself to make good.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL \$100,000.00
SURPLUS \$22,000.00

Features of the State Fair.

President W. H. Taft will spend the entire day of September 30 at the state fair as the guest of Governor Herbert S. Hadley, the board of directors of the fair and the people of Missouri. He will speak in the live stock pavilion at 10:30 a. m. In the afternoon he will be in the grand stand to witness the great live stock

parade, one section of which will be the greatest mule parade ever made. Governor Herbert S. Hadley will introduce President Taft to the Missouri audience, which will be at the state fair to greet him.

Aeroplanes will be in the air at Sedalia during the state fair most of the time. Hugh Robinson, with Curtis machines, will be the star aviator.

The implement exhibits will be extensive and the agricultural show will be great.

Free camp grounds are provided, and it is expected that thousands of visitors will be there in camp when President Taft arrives.

Apples Wanted

Bring your apples to my place, east side square, and get the highest market price.
H. J. SCHAUB.
V. E. Davis, Agent.

Special Fern Sale

Saturday, Sept. 23

Particulars in tomorrow's paper.

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES,
1201 South Main Street.
Hanamo 171-3, Bell 126.

Kane's Place

Liquors,

Wines,

Cigars,

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention

Waukesha

"Club House"

THE BEER OF QUALITY

Adolph Lippman

DISTRIBUTOR

Mail Orders Promptly Filled

STOLYPIN DIES OF HIS WOUNDS

Russian Premier Succumbs to
Assassin's Bullet.

REIGN OF TERROR FEARED.

Nihilists Said to Have Planned New Campaign and Many Acts of Violence Against Government Officials Are Reported.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 19.—Premier Peter A. Stolypin died about 10 o'clock last night.

The early examination of the wounds inflicted upon the premier by Dmitry Bogroff led to hope for an early recovery. The rally followed immediately after the removal of the bullet by the surgeons in an effort to relieve the premier of the unbearable pain, of which he complained during Saturday night and which had thrown him into a state of depression where death seemed a welcome relief.

The bullet, which the doctors extracted, was of huge caliber and proved to have been purchased in Berlin. The head was deformed from striking the Vladimir cross, which adorned Stolypin's breast. The cross deflected the course of the bullet and deprived it of much of its penetrating power.

According to the police reports, the revolutionary bodies are showing signs of recovering from the staggering blow dealt them two years ago by the exposure of the dual role of Eugene Asaf, who was at the same time head of the fighting socialists and a police spy. The revolutionists are now, the officials say, closing up their ranks in preparation for a new campaign.

Some time ago, Russian police agents abroad, in reports to their government, indicated that a new outbreak attended with terrorism was impending. Recent acts of violence directed against those in the employ of the government have appeared to give some substance to these reports.

T. W. BALLEW IS DEAD

Witness Against Mabray Gang Passes
Away at Excelsior Springs.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., Sept. 19.—T. W. Ballew, former wealthy Princeton (Mo.) man, who had a share in the first prosecution of the Mabray gang, died at his home here. Ballew moved to Kansas City a year ago.

It was an old friend of Ballew, John R. Dobbins, who drew him into the Mabray net. Dobbins professed to give Ballew some exclusive information on a horse race that was supposed to be "fixed." The wrong horse won and Ballew dropped \$30,000 on the race. He immediately instituted proceedings against Dobbins and James Mabray. Eventually they were both convicted.

Ballew's loss, including the bet and the money he spent in prosecuting members of the gang, amounted to approximately \$40,000.

Another Cave-In at Star Mine.

Leadville, Colo., Sept. 19.—Hope of recovering the three miners entombed in the Morning Star mine was dashed when another cave-in occurred. This will delay the rescue work another twenty-four hours. The prisoners are still in communication with the surface through 300 feet of three-inch pipe and want for nothing except blankets. They are in good spirits.

Foreigners Are Safe in Chengtu.

Peking, Sept. 19.—The British consul here received a dispatch from Chengtu, reading: "Foreigners have not been molested and are being treated civilly. There has been no fighting within the city since Sept. 7, but there have been several engagements outside the walls, the insurgents losing considerable and the loyal troops inconsiderable."

Rodgers Out of Commission.

Midtown, N. Y., Sept. 19.—In attempting to resume his flight to the Pacific coast C. P. Rodgers crashed into a tree and fell with his aeroplane thirty-five feet to the ground. The airman received scalp wounds, not serious, but his machine was wrecked so badly that he probably will be unable to fly until tomorrow.

Octave Chanute's Only Son Dies.

Medford, N. H., Sept. 19.—Octave Chanute, only son of the late Octave Chanute, father of the aeronauts, died in the city here of pneumonia, caused by a cigarette burn on his arm ten days ago.

Two Killed During Storm in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Two persons were killed, twenty injured and a property damage estimated at \$100,000 resulted from a storm which was a remarkable combination of lightning, thunder, wind, rain and hail. It swept through the city from the west and continued for several hours.

Germany's Answer to France.

Berlin, Sept. 19.—Foreign Minister von Kiderlin-Waechter received the French ambassador, M. Cambon, at the foreign office and presented to him Germany's answer to the latest proposals of France relative to the Moroccan dispute.

(First insertion Sept. 19; last, Sept. 26)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that sealed bids will be received by the city clerk up to 6 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, September 26, 1911, for the building and construction of cement sidewalks as hereinafter enumerated.

A cement sidewalk along and adjacent to the entire north side of a tract of land described as commencing where the north line of Sixth street intersects the east line of the northwest quarter (34) of the southeast quarter (34) of section eighteen (18), township sixty-four (64), range thirty-five (35), thence north two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence west six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet; thence south two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence east six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet, to the place of beginning, excepting that portion of the above described tract which is owned and occupied by the Wabash Railroad company as right-of-way, said sidewalk to be four feet in width, and four hundred and twenty-seven (427) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the west side of Walnut street, along and adjacent to the east side of lots one (1) and two (2), in quarter block one (1), T. L. Robinson's addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Twelfth street, along and adjacent to the entire south side of the east half of lot one (1), in block twenty-five (25), of W. R. Saunders' addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and thirty-eight (38) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Market street, lying along and adjacent to the entire west side of lots three (3) and four (4), in block eight (8) original town, now city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four (4) feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Fifth street, along and adjacent to the entire north side of lot one (1), in block twelve (12), northwest extension, or addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of a tract of land described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty feet east of the southwest corner of lot five, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, and extending thence north to the north line of said lot five, thence east along the north line of said lot five and the north line of lot six, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, to a point thereon due north of a point on the south line of said lot six, three hundred and six (306) feet west of the southeast corner of said lot six, thence south to the south line of said lot six, thence west to place of beginning, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and three hundred and eighty-nine (389) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of lot seven (7), northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and sixty-six feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of First street, along and adjacent to the south side of lots eleven and twelve, block fifty-seven (57), Maryville City company's addition to the city of Maryville, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Fillmore street, along and adjacent to the west side of lot eight (8), in block two (2), and sixteen feet off the south side of lot seven (7), in block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and seventy-three (73) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the north side of the north one-third (1-3) of one-half (1-2) block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

Each and every one of the above sidewalks to be built upon the established line and grade, which will be indicated by stakes set by the city engineer without cost to the contractor.

The contractor to use due care in preserving said stakes, and if they should have to be reset, it will be at the expense of the contractor. Each and every one of the above sidewalks are to be built of cement, and in manner and form as provided by the specifications for sidewalks of cement, as set out in section 4-C of ordinance No. 221 of the city of Maryville, as recorded at pages 67-79 of ordinance record No. 8, of the city of Maryville, Missouri.

The work of building and construction shall include all grading, filling or excavation necessary therefor, and the cost of all labor and material and the cost of removal of any and all obstruction from the line of said sidewalks, and shall be completed on or before the first day of November, 1911.

BIDS.

The sidewalk along each and every lot or tract will be let as a separate job, and contractors will file a separate bid for each and every lot they desire to build, said bids to be sealed and filed with the city clerk of the city of Maryville by six o'clock p. m. on the 26th day of September, 1911, and each bidder shall enclose with each bid a certified check on some Maryville bank for ten per cent of the total amount of such bid. The board of aldermen reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

In case a bidder to whom a contract is awarded shall fail, neglect or refuse to enter into a good and sufficient contract with the city of Maryville for the work bid on, and execute to said city a good and sufficient bond for double the amount of his bid, conditioned on the faithful performance of his contract, then the said check shall be forfeited to the city of Maryville.

SUPERVISION.

All of said work shall be done under the supervision of the city engineer and in accordance with the specifications above referred to, and to the satisfaction of said city engineer.

PAYMENT FOR WORK.

Upon the completion of the work and the report of the city engineer that said walks have been built in accordance with the specifications hereinbefore referred to, the board of aldermen shall levy a special assessment against each lot or parcel of ground along which a sidewalk is built for the total amount of the cost thereof, payable to the contractor doing said work, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum after thirty days from the date of issuance, which tax bill shall be delivered to the contractor in full payment for the said work. A copy of the specifications above referred to and any further information required by contractors can be obtained at the office of either the city clerk or the city engineer.

Witness my hand this 18th day of September, 1911.

C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

By authority of ordinance No. 515.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days, for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-11

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

LOST—Solid gold round brooch with head carved in center. Please return to Adella S. Gremis. 16-19

FOR RENT—Furnished 6-room cottage, modern. Inquire 304 West Fourth street. 16-19

FOR SALE—Indian Runner ducks. Prices right. D. F. Burke, 703 East Seventh street, Maryville, Mo. 16-19

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage, close in. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-11

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, one mile southwest of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr.

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, as good as new. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-11

FOR RENT—cottage of five rooms, corner Fourth and Buchanan. N. Sisson. 11

LOST—Lady's gold watch. Finder please leave at 605 North Mulberry or call Hanamo 139 or Bell 37. Reward. 19-21

LOST—Large black pocketbook handbag. No money; pair tan kid gloves, piece of silk. Mrs. John H. Anderson. 18-20

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red. 9-11

WE WANT you to know we are selling the McCormick binder twine at 8c per pound. The best in America. You know me. L. R. Holt. 11

FOR SALE—Seventy-five heating stoves, all sizes and kinds, also a large amount of other furniture. Anthony, the second-hand man. Hanamo phone 258 Red. Store 207 West Third street.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs of spring farrow, male and female, of no kin. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-11

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage, health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

For rent—Several dwellings, one with furnace, bath and electric lights. R. L. McDUGAL.

Abstracts of title, insurance and loans.

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as \$6.00 per month. For particulars write Olney Music Co., St. Joseph, Mo. 28-d&w-11

Sang in Assembly.

Miss Hazel Everhart and Miss Glen Hotchkiss sang a duet, "Down by the Sea," in high school assembly Monday, which was highly pleasing.

The Cause of Eczema

Is germ life that burrows under and feeds on the skin. The way to cure Eczema is to remove the cause by washing away with a clean, penetrating liquid, the germ life and poisons that cause the trouble.

We have a preparation that will do this. The first application will stop the itching and give prompt relief to an irritated, itching or inflamed skin. If you are a sufferer from skin or scalp eruption in any form, try one bottle of this clean scientific preparation. We are confident you will be pleased with the results from the use of this standard preparation for eczema.

Good for infants as well as grown persons. Charles Love's drug store.

Say, Have You Ever

Bought any coal from Frank G. Shoemaker and had it delivered with the big white wagon? Those white wagons don't make a bad appearance on the streets of the city do they? And the horses look like they had enough to eat too. So do the drivers. The scales, and yards are kept up in the same way, and that system of doing business makes it a legitimate mercantile business, like any other business of the city, and worthy of your patronage if prices and coals are right, and they are—because I am behind every pound of coal sold. If it is not right I will see that all is satisfactory or money refunded. Let me figure with you for your winter coal.

Yours truly,

F. G. SHOEMAKER, Sr.

AMERICAN FENCE Campbell & Clark

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

B. R. Martin's Law Office.

I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday of each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN, Maryville, Mo.

K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.,

SURGERY AND GENERAL PRACTICE. Office over First National Bank. Calls answered promptly day or night. All phones.

F. R. Anthony, M. D.

Specialist. Practice limited to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All phones. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.

THE "UNIQUE"

First class clothes cleaning and repairing shop. Phones, Hanamo 402, 115 1/2 South Main.

E. J. BECKER, Proprietor.

Chas. E. Stilwell.

Attorney and Counselor at Law. Office over Maryville National Bank, Maryville, Mo.

DR. G. H. LEACH,

Deputy State Veterinarian and Stock Inspector. Office, Star Barn. All phones.

CLINE & MORGAN.

Graduate and Registered VETERINARY SURGEONS AND DENTISTS. Office at Gray's feed barn. Phones, Hanamo 93, Farmers 162.

BUSINESS CARDS

I. J. WALKER

Electrical Wiring, Fixtures, Supplies. Bell phone 91 120 1/2 West 3rd st.

FRANK MARTIN & SON,

PLUMBING AND HEATING. We Solicit Your Business. All phones. Maryville, Mo.

J. L. FISHER

Repairing Guns, Bicycles, Gas Engines and Automobiles. Robey's Garage, 115 West Fourth st.

F. S. GRUNDY.

PLUMBING AND HEATING. We Never Sleep. Hanamo 46, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo.

Van Steenberg & Son

Dry Cleaning, Pressing. Phone Hanamo 279

WANTED.

Your pump and repair work. Pumps, windmills, scales, etc., of all kinds sold and repaired by E. J. Bailey, the pump man at Armstrong's foundry. Bell phone, office 114, residence 279; Hanamo, residence 259 Red. Farmers 121.

A FREE LICENSE

FOR THE COUPLE WHO BRAVE
PUBLICITY AT THE STREET FAIR.

AND HOUSE FURNISHED

Most Everything Needed By Newly
Wedded Pair—Even the Marriage
Ceremony Provided For.

Who wants a bonus of three hundred and twenty-five dollars to begin married life? Whoever does will find that much awaiting him for the simple privilege of letting us all see him assume the matrimonial contract.

The managers of the big street fair which is to be held in Maryville October 9-14 will offer a large number of premiums which the business men have generously donated to the couple who will be publicly married here on Thursday, October 12. Everything will be furnished for a first class wedding from the license to the wedding supper.

The affair will be no joke and no snide affair. The couple must be nice people and the whole affair will be a genteel high class wedding. Rev. W. J. Parvin will perform the ceremony, and he agrees to do it with the explicit understanding that the wedding will be a solemn, high class and orderly affair. Applicants for the opportunity will be treated confidentially, and no one will be given their names. The couple selected will be unknown until after the ceremony.

The wedding will be solemnized on the west steps of the court house. There will be a band concert for an hour before the wedding by one of the best bands in the state, and a short time before the hour set for the bridal couple to appear some sacred music will be played as a signal for everybody to become quiet. There will be appropriate decorations, little flower girls, a wedding feast at the Linville, and everything that goes with a big society wedding.

The committee having this matter in charge are F. R. Marcell, chairman; J. E. Paulette and A. J. Lupold. They expect more donations to this fund, and will be glad to hear from anybody desiring to add something to the already handsome list of presents, which is as follows:

J. Arthur Wray—License.
R. Deschauer—Solid gold wedding ring.
P. Mergen—Bridal bouquet roses.
F. P. Reuillard—Wedding cake.
Campbell-Clark Hardware Co.—Steel cooking range, one of the best in stock.

Hudson & Welch Hardware Co.—No. 18 Pearl Oak heater.
Price & McNell—Sewing machine.
Schumacher Grocery Co.—Parlor lamp.

Raines Bros.—Set silver knives and forks.
Parisian Millinery Co.—Bride's hat.
Torgery Shop—Pair fine shoes for bridegroom.

G. B. Holmes & Co.—Clothes basket and sack of flour.

Wm. Everhart—A ton Illinois suttles coal.
Democrat-Forum—Daily subscription one year.

F. R. Marcell—Dozen photographs.
Linville hotel—Supper for wedding party.

Forsyth meat market—Side bacon.
Switzer & Davidson—Box Great American cigars.

Hansen Cigar Co.—100 Party cigars.
Scott Bros.' Racket—Set plates, cups and saucers.

Montgomery Shoe Co.—Pair shoes for bride.

Charles Love—Bottle toilet water.
Bee Hive Shoe Co.—Slippers for bride.

Corwin & Murrin—Stetson hat for groom.

We Want to Make
Our Store Your Store

To make you feel that HERE you can buy the things you WANT—buy them BETTER and CHEAPER than elsewhere. TO KNOW that we strive always to win your friendly patronage by courteous, honest service. We want to be able always to give you satisfaction. To do that, we must first know you, your tastes and desires. We are confident of success if you will.

PUT US TO THE TEST.
Hotchkiss Variety Store
106 South Main St.

Dr. Gertrude DuVall
The Fitting of Glasses a
Specialty.

114½ South Main Street.

Orean-Henry Drug Co.—Hair brush.
H. T. Crane—Framed picture.
Berney Harris—Wedding suit for groom.

Maryville Furniture Co.—White maple kitchen cabinet.
Anderson Clothing Co.—Fine trunk.
J. C. Ferritor Drug Co.—Clothes brush.

Hutton-Aldrich Cigar Co.—Box Lord Lobster cigars.
Maryville Tribune—One year's subscription to Daily.

J. R. Brink & Co.—Two pounds Golden Gate coffee.
Byers & Hubler—One dozen cans of corn.

Cook's Bazaar—Berry bowl.
Eversole Dry Goods Co.—Pair blankets.

F. M. Petty—Axminster rug.
W. H. George Hardware Co.—Copper tea kettle.

Townsend Grocery Co.—Four sacks Gold Corn flour.
M. Nusbaum—Umbrella.

Koch Pharmacy—Assorted toilet articles.
Sawyers & Atry—Box of N. B. C. crackers.

R. S. Braniger—Sack Red Moon Flour.
Evans Variety store—Set pie plates.

Andrews & Hempstead—Sack P. P. P. flour.
H. J. Becker—Cleaning and pressing bride and groom's suits.

C. M. Nicholas meat market—Pail lard.
E. W. Friend—Tonsorial work for groom.

SLAVE BORN IN 1815
DIED IN DES MOINES

Oliver Vance, one of our colored citizens, tells a Democrat-Forum reporter an interesting story of the life of his grandfather, Henry Vance, who died last week at Des Moines.

Henry Vance was born in Woodford county, Kentucky, in 1815, and was 96 years of age. During his early life he was a slave and lived with Col. Anderson Taylor, who sold him for \$75. He was later sold to the father of H. A. Byers of this city for \$900, and finally passed from his hands for \$350. After the war he went to Iowa, where he continued to reside.

He had sixteen grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren. Oliver Vance of this city is his only surviving grandchild in Nodaway county.

He had a daughter, Maria Vance Graves, whom many of the old settlers of this county will remember. She is said to have been the first colored person born in Nodaway county. She was born in 1839, was the property of John Saunders and remained in his control until Lincoln's emancipation proclamation. She married Lem Graves, and both she and her husband have been dead for a number of years.

WORKING A NEW
GRAFT AT FAIRS

John Hook of Paris, Splint Barnett of Mexico and M. V. Harrison of Auxvasse, a trio of well known horsemen, have been effectually "suppressed" for working a new game on the unsophisticated directors and managers of the various fairs of Northwest Missouri. They have, it seems, had themselves appointed judges of cakes and pies and other luxuries at these fairs. If they couldn't get officially appointed they were prepared for emergency with a bundle of blue ribbon. They would go into the booths as judges, and in passing on the Missouri cakes and pies they would satisfy their omnivorous and omnipresent appetites. Of course they would make a bluff to pay for their "meals" but because they had pinned the blue ribbon upon these plates or baskets that contained these good things their owners would naturally smile and bow a pleasant acquiescence—Mexico Intelligencer.

Left for Wyoming.

Charles W. Ray of Golden Prairie, Wyo., who has been visiting his brother, James W. Ray, the past week, left for his home Tuesday morning. He was accompanied by Henry Heitman and Thomas Kane, living southeast of Maryville, who are going to Wyoming on a business trip and will be his guests while in the Golden Prairie country.

Visited Former Teacher.

Miss Mabel Patterson and Miss Millie Ballenger of near Wilcox visited near Burlington Junction Friday and Saturday with their former school teacher, Mrs. Fred Nicholas.

DIRECTORS ELECTED

PERMANENT CHAUTAUQUA ORGANIZATION FORMED.

HALF STOCK SUBSCRIBED

The Capitalization Will Be \$3,000—
Officers Will Be Elected Saturday by Directors.

The Chautauqua committee met last night at the library building and took steps toward forming a permanent organization of the Nodaway County Chautauqua association. A number were present and all were enthusiastic over the prospects for a permanent Chautauqua.

A board of directors was elected, consisting of the following: Prof. W. M. Oakerson, Dr. J. S. Ford, Eld. Claude J. Miller and Prof. P. O. Land. Of Maryville, Dr. Rowlett of Graham, Fred Miller of Barnard and Ed Woifors of Hopkins.

The board was instructed to meet and organize, watch it will do next Saturday. It was also decided to incorporate the association with a capital of three thousand dollars. One hundred and fifty shares have already been subscribed to guarantee the expenses of the next Chautauqua.

The next Chautauqua meeting will be held about August 19, and work will begin at once toward securing talent and arranging a program that will eclipse all former efforts if possible. A permanent building may be erected. The Chautauqua meeting this year was very satisfactory both to the public and to the management.

A BIG WAGON LOAD
OF TOMATOES

Roy Lippman brought forty-seven bushels of tomatoes to market Tuesday morning from the Adolph Lippman farm, southeast of Maryville, which he is in charge of. Mr. Lippman estimates he will have a crop of 400 bushels if frost does not come too early. He has sold the crop to Andrews & Hempstead of this city, to whom he makes delivery. The tomatoes are of fine uniform size, smooth and rich red in color. The vines bloomed after the drouth was broken, which accounts partly for the splendid yield. They are selling for 50 cents a bushel at present. The forty-seven bushels this morning was the prettiest sight of the kind one could wish to see and attracted much attention.

Clark Strong in Nebraska.

W. A. Townsend, who has just returned from a trip to Nebraska, says that from the talk he heard during his stay in that state, he believes that if Taft is nominated by the Republicans for president and Champ Clark is nominated by the Democrats, that Clark will carry the state by 25,000. But he says if La Follette is nominated by the Republicans and Harmon by the Democrats the state will go for La Follette.

Have a New Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Young of 307 North Buchanan street, announce the birth of a daughter to them Sunday morning, September 17. The little girl is named Bernice. Mr. and Mrs. Young now have three sons and three daughters.

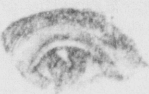
Auto Party From Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr., and their son, Robert Wolfers, and Mrs. F. B. Monroe, of Hopkins, came to Maryville Monday evening in the Wolfers car and visited awhile with friends.

Will Teach in Oklahoma.

Miss Frances Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith, left Monday evening for Perry, Okla., where she has accepted the position as teacher of Latin in the high school.

DR. FINN



Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

News of Society
and Womens' Clubs

Mothers' Club at Pickering.

A called meeting of the Pickering Mothers' club was held last Thursday afternoon, September 14, at the home of Mrs. Roland Wray to elect officers and appoint committees for the coming club year. In answer to a roll call each lady responded to "What the club has done for me" in a most instructive and entertaining manner. The next meeting will be held the second Friday in October, at the home of the newly elected president, Mrs. Laura Watson. A good attendance is urged. All mothers and girls are welcome, whether in town or country. The Pickering Mothers' club intends to make each year better than the one previous. The members are working and studying constantly to make it better and better.

The new officers are: Mrs. Laura Watson, president; Mrs. E. L. Crowson and Mrs. J. C. Shuff, vice presidents; Mrs. Gordon Swinford, secretary; Mrs. J. S. Garten, corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. I. Hood, treasurer.

Members of the executive committee, Mrs. Lon Fine, Mrs. John McGuire and Mrs. Roland Wray.

Program committee is comprised of Mrs. F. M. Lindenmeyer and Mrs. Howard Wray.

Members of committee to confer with the public school teachers of Pickering to secure their co-operation in the work of the Mothers' club are Mrs. J. C. Shuff, Mrs. E. L. Crowson and Mrs. Gordon Swinford.

Observed His Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders and daughter, Marian, were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan of Quitman last Saturday at a family dinner, to observe the fourteenth birthday anniversary of the one son and heir of the Ryan household, Harold Ryan, who is Mrs. Sanders' nephew. Little Miss Marian had a part in two social affairs that day, the birthday dinner of her cousin and the party of the little Raines sisters. That's what an automobile makes possible.

For Visitors From DuQuene.

Mrs. Edward Tobin and her little daughter, Thelma, of DuQuene, Ark., were honor guests at a dinner party given Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cummins. The company included Mrs. Tobin and Thelma, Mr. Christopher Cummins, Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins and family, Miss Nelle Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cummins and son, Kieren; the host and hostess and their son and daughter, Frank Cummins and Miss Marguerite.

Omitted From Guest List.

The names of the two out-of-town guests at the party given by the little Misses Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret Raines Saturday afternoon were unintentionally omitted. They were Thelma Tobin of DuQuene, Ark., who is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael M. Tobin, and Master Edwin Shack of Seattle, Wash., who is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Frank Bellows, and other relatives.

Mrs. Townsend Hostess.

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend has issued invitations for a card party Wednesday afternoon in compliment to Miss Dorothy Pierce and her guest, Miss Geraldine Coffee of Steelville.

A CURTAIN RAISER
IS BUFFALO BILL

Four centuries ago the civilized world in its confines on the European continent was surrounded by an impenetrable curtain that might be called "the mystery of the beyond." The footlights were on the eastern shore of the Atlantic, illuminating nothing except a vast sea as a stage; its back-drop or curtain was penetrated by Columbus, who was followed by innumerable actors in the drama of discovery who followed his initiative. Slowly these, then, looked upon us as adventurers, but really soldiers and missionaries, lifted curtain after curtain, led by Cortez on the south, Ponce de Leon and De Soto along the gulf, and the French voyagers from the times of Champlain to Marquette, crossing the Alleghenies and the lakes, until he and La Salle, the great soldier of France, halted on the banks of the north Mississippi. Decades of each century went by, each marking an advance, until the comparatively, to us, early days of Washington and Crockett along the Ohio, then of Lewis and Clark, Fremont and Carson and their kind, who assisted to

THE PUNKIN SHOW

MARYVILLE WILL HELP SKIDMORE CELEBRATE IN OCTOBER.

INVITATION IS ACCEPTED

Whether in Carriages, Autos or on Foot, We're All Going and Looking at the Pumpkins.

All aboard for the big "punkin" show. Skidmore was here in full force Tuesday, and they say it is the next big thing on the docket. Eleven auto loads of leading citizens, headed by Col. Dan R. Baker of the New Era, came over with banners flying to let us know they are still on the map, and to invite us to their big annual picnic. They had a band which serenaded the people with music while discouraging on their attractions.

We are going. We may go in autos and we may have to walk, but we are going. We haven't seen a big pumpkin, the kind they used to raise and bring to the country fairs, for these many years, and we are going to Skidmore.

The party were on a tour of the county advertising the show, and took dinner here. They have secured five hundred dollars' worth of free attractions and will offer premiums for a considerable amount. Public speakers will be there to entertain, and every form of amusement will be provided for those who come.

They are all coming up to the big street fair, too.

Boys Will Play Ball.

The north side and south side boys will play another game of ball at Riffe's park tomorrow, Wednesday, afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock. An admission of 10 and 15 cents will be charged. There has been quite a rivalry between the north side and south side boys and a hot game is expected. At the last game the south side boys put it over their opponents and a battle royal will be fought Wednesday.

LITERARY SOCIETIES
READY FOR WORK

As is the custom at the beginning of a new school quarter, the two literary societies were organized Friday night in the regular society rooms at the Normal. Mr. Gilis was elected president of the Philomathean society and Miss Unslow was elected president of the Eureka society. These societies will meet every two weeks, beginning next Friday night. Their programs will include debates, orations, musical numbers of various descriptions, and at times talks by different members of the faculty.

Immediately following the chapel exercises Monday morning about thirty-five young men students volunteered to take an active part in a Y. M. C. A. which is to be organized at once. Mr. Harrington and Mr. Leag, both of the faculty, will have the direction of the meetings. The Y. M. C. A. of the Normal has already been organized and is progressing nicely.

Eastman Kodaks are supplied by Crane's.

The Weather

Fair tonight and Wednesday.

Not ANY Glasses



Don't forget that there ARE glasses that will do your eyes more harm than good.

The lenses for YOU must be ground to your measure, just the same as a druggist puts up a prescription.

Glasses chosen in any other way are a positive danger.

This point cannot be given too much emphasis.

It is as easy for you to get the right kind as the wrong.

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Make your arrangements to come to the big street fair.

The ice trust is getting ready to vote in favor of the coal trust.

Canada will decide the reciprocity question in her elections Thursday.

For good job printing quickly done at reasonable prices bring your work to The Democrat-Forum. We take pleasure in working for particular people.

Congressman Booher was appointed by Speaker Clark to represent Missouri at the funeral of Congressman Latta of Nebraska last week, but Mr. Booher was unable to attend on account of his own illness. He is just recovering from a severe attack of fever.

The sudden death of Representative Madison of Kansas removes another valuable member from the halls of congress. Mr. Madison was an insurgent Republican and was rated as one of the strong members of the house. Since the close of the extra session the membership of the house has lost four members, Messrs. Loudenslager of New Jersey, Latta of Nebraska and one member from Minnesota. Just before the close of the session Representatives Mitchell of Kansas and Wilson of Pennsylvania died, and during the last few weeks Senator Frye of Maine went to his last reward. Of those mentioned two were Democrats and three were insurgent Republicans.

Maryville has as good a board of public works now as it would be possible to get together. Mayor Robey deserves great credit for the judgment and regard for the public welfare he has manifested in the selection of this board, which is the first step toward a successful culmination of city ownership of the water plant. The board was appointed and confirmed by the council Friday night, and Saturday it was organized and went to work. This board is possessed of energy, industry, determination, good judgment and perfect honesty, which is about all that can be desired, and their work will be watched with great interest and confidence by the public. It should be remembered, however, that they have a big problem before them, and final results should not be expected too early.

Not Many Depositors.

Uncle Sam's postal savings bank doesn't seem to be creating much excitement in Maryville, where there are four good banks to compete with. The postoffice bank has now been in operation more than a month, and only about one hundred dollars has been deposited. Evidently there isn't much left under the carpets and in old stockings.

At Your Own Price.

The large Lincoln lamp in Evans' Variety store window. Twenty-five cents taken off each day until sold. Two doors west of postoffice. 19-20

Latest post cards. 1 cent each, at Crane's.

SAGE TEA WILL DARKEN THE HAIR

Restore Faded and Gray Hair to Natural Color—Dandruff Quickly Removed.

There is nothing new about the idea of using sage for restoring the color of the hair. Our great-grandmothers kept their locks soft, dark and glossy by using a "sage tea." Whenever their hair fell out or took on a dull, faded or streaked appearance they made a brew of sage leaves and applied it to their hair, with wonderfully beneficial effect.

Nowadays we don't have to resort to old-time, tiresome methods of gathering the herbs and making the tea. This is done by skillful chemists better than we could do it ourselves, and all we have to do is to call for the ready-made product, Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, containing sage in the proper strength, with the addition of sulphur, another old-time scalp remedy.

The manufacturers of this remedy authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

Don't neglect your hair. Get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur today, and notice the difference after a few day's use.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Two Merry Tramps.

Of "Two Merry Tramps" many pleasing things have been said by the critics, not only in the larger cities but in the night stands as well, during the past season where "Two Merry Tramps" has been presented, about Wood & Ward's production, the play being strictly a musical comedy with three acts and a bevy of pretty girls.

The title of the piece is somewhat misleading, but it is only the title, for from the rise to the fall of the curtain it is just one of the cleanest, jolliest and liveliest comedies that has enlivened the musical field. Never for an instant does it bring a blush, but instead brings laughter that is irrepressible. For the past eight seasons it has played to packed houses in the middle west and appeals to the elite of fashion and all that is refined. The comedy is natural, the music catchy, the scenery magnificent, the costumes gorgeous and the cast all that is desired.

This attraction will be the offering at the Empire theater September 22.

Gone to Conference.

Rev. J. R. Carter, pastor of the African M. E. church, left Tuesday morning for St. Joseph to attend the conference. Rev. Carter has made a good record here and done good work, having raised during the past year a total of \$935 to apply on their church building.

WILD WEST, OR? EMPIRE THEATER. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.



Two Hot Tamalas.

Those Famous Funny Fellows, Wood and Ward, with a Gorgeous Gowned Group of Gibson Girls, presenting that hop, step and jump musical tom-foolery, "Two Merry Tramps," a singy song farce with music, mirth and melody. Three hundred and sixty-five days ahead of them all when it comes to novelties. Remember it's on wild west night, September 22. Prices, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

PLATTE VALLEY.

Fine weather, only a little bit hot, has prevailed for the past week in the valley.

Wheat sowing is right on hand now, and some are sowing this week in this vicinity.

Born, to James Neilson and wife, September 8, a boy. Jim steps high nowadays.

Born, to W. T. Throckmorton and wife, September 8, a boy. This is boy No. 5 at Wids.

Mary Richards spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Dougan.

W. B. Torrance and family spent Sunday at C. C. Nelson's.

A Mr. Roberts and wife of independence, Mo., who is a commercial traveling salesman, stopped over Sunday in Guilford and attended service at the L. D. Saints church.

A. O. Beck and wife of Bristle Ridge were guests at C. C. Nelson's Sunday.

Elder A. C. Silvers is holding a protracted meeting at the Whiteford school house this week. He discoursed at 11 o'clock Sunday in the L. D. S. church in Guilford on the text Romans 12:1.

Toal Davis and wife, Mrs. Clifford Beggs and Mary Pederson of White Oak neighborhood, were visiting at Jim Neilson's Sunday, seeing that new boy.

The Barnard-Guilford Telephone company has completed its new line from town to town, and has taken on Mike Byergo. Mike says for the widows and old maids to call him now and he will be there to answer.

The Long Branch Telephone company has begun the repairing of its line, and the Roosevelt company contemplates repairing its line in the near future. So all lines running west of town will be in good repair.

The Guilford Times editor and family visited Sunday at Dan Skidmore's.

John Kent, from southwest of Bolckow was in the valley Saturday and Sunday. He will move into the valley right away and live on the Jim Davis farm till March. Walter Halfhill, who now lives in the house, will move to the W. R. Thompson place, just south of Henry Brown's.

Cutting corn seems to be an interesting pastime nowadays.

James Lucas and family visited at John Butts' Sunday in Guilford.

Mrs. Millie M. Skidmore, aged mother of Hugh Skidmore, died last Monday, September 11, 1911, aged 88 years 7 months 29 days. Rev. S. E. Hoover conducted the funeral services. Burial in the Graves cemetery.

John Nelson, wife, son Earl and daughter Goldie returned Saturday from a visit with relatives near Avenue City, and a ten days' outing attending the L. D. S. reunion at Stewartsville.

Andrew Nelson and family spent Sunday on Bristle Ridge, guests of W. T. Nelson.

Dick Nelson and family visited Sunday at Grandma Shores'.

Apple picking is indulged in by several in the valley. Apples are a very good quality this year, and tolerably plenty here.

The Guilford telephone exchange is in working order now, after a long delay. They are in a new home and have new operators. So now every farm line running into Guilford should see to it that the line is in good repair, then good service will be secured.

Gideon Miller of Maryville is in Guilford buying apples, also Ballard & Carver, the old apple men, are buying.

Guilford intends to have a corn and poultry show this fall. Quite an interest is taken in these gatherings, and they are instructive and profitable.

George Rimel finished putting in the concrete work for Dan Skidmore's new corn crib and granary Thursday. George has put in over 200 yards of concrete work this summer and has yet several culverts and cellars to build.

White Woman Breaking Rock.

The Mexico Intelligencer has the following in its Monday edition:

"Lucy Lindsey, a white woman hailing from Callaway county, in the vicinity of Fulton, is busily engaged in making little rocks out of big ones at the city work house. Hers is not a voluntary occupation, but the result of being fined \$57.50 in the police court Monday morning on the charge of disorderly conduct on the streets. With a metal 'gavel,' the white woman sits beside a ugress, who pounds on a similar charge, and hammers away, pausing now and then to comment adversely on the action of the police judge and the city authorities."

A Kansas judge who ordered a woman to the rock pile for a scandalous disregard of law and decency aroused a tremendous storm of indignation, the woman was liberated and the judge narrowly escaped with his office.

Going to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wray and little daughters of Pickering expect to leave Saturday for Chicago on a visit to Mrs. Wray's mother, Mrs. Mattie Beckwith.

Frank W. Armstrong went to St. Joseph Monday evening on business.

Dr. McDowell in Town.

Dr. E. T. McDowell of Okmulgee, Okla., and his little daughter, Mary Margaret arrived in Maryville Monday night from Sterling, Col., where they have been several weeks with his wife and family. Mrs. Walker and sons, Walker and John, will remain in Denver, Colo., until after frost comes in Oklahoma, on account of the affliction from asthma that one of the boys suffers. Mary Margaret will remain in Maryville with her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. McDowell, until her mother comes to Maryville on her way to Oklahoma.

Returned From Texas.

Mrs. John Gex and son and daughter, Anthony and Loretta, of Graham, returned Tuesday noon from Higgins, Texas, where they spent two weeks visiting her father, W. G. Wilson. Mrs. Gex's sister, Mrs. George P. Wright, who accompanied her, was met in Kansas City by Mr. Wright, and went to Sedalia to visit his brother, Albert Wright, who is in the grocery business there.

Left for Wisconsin.

Mrs. H. L. Cook of Water Ford, Wis., who has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. Hal T. Hooker, and family, left for her home Tuesday. Mrs. Cook came to Maryville from St. Joseph, where she visited her nephew, Arthur Rush and family.

Will Live With Grandmother.

Miss Bessie Brown, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, left Friday night for Columbia, Mo., to attend the state university. She will make her home with her grandmother, Mrs. M. C. Brown.

Returned to St. Joseph.

Mrs. Julia Damske of St. Joseph, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Young and family, for two weeks, returned to her home Monday evening.

Returned to Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wiseman, who have been visiting Mrs. Wiseman's sister, Mrs. H. Edwards, and family, left Monday evening for their home in Centralia, Kan.

Went to Illinois.

Mrs. P. O. Landon and son, Court, left for Jerseyville, Ill. Tuesday to visit Prof. Landon's mother, Mrs. Mary Landon.

Here From St. Louis.

Mrs. Luster Johnson of St. Louis arrived in Maryville Monday morning on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Coleman of East First street.

Deputy Postmaster Improving.

Deputy Postmaster Scribner Beech is improving from his illness, and the threatened case of typhoid fever is now overcome, we are glad to say.

Went to St. Joseph.

J. F. Montgomery and son, R. Bruce Montgomery, went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning in Mr. Montgomery's car to spend the day.

Suits Filed.

Ulysses W. Hall vs. Clem Smith, appeal from justice court.
Bank of Pickering vs. O. E. Bradley, suit on note.

Mrs. W. C. Ellison and her daughters, Mrs. E. M. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark., who is visiting her, and Miss Susie Ellison went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Sarah Evans and her brother, W. H. Moore, of Henderson, Ill., who is visiting her, left for Bedison and Ravenwood Tuesday to visit Mrs. Evans' sons and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bagley and children of Quitman were in Maryville Tuesday on their way to Worth county to visit Mr. Bagley's brother, Bert Bagley, and family.

Mrs. Mary McGuire and little daughter returned Monday evening from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McGuire at Pickering.

Emory Dunham and son of Westboro are in Maryville today, making arrangements for the young man to enter the Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. McGarry and son, living seven miles east of Maryville, went to Kansas City Tuesday morning for a few days' visit.

Miss Bertha Snapp of Kansas City, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Snapp, returned home Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Stuckie and her nephew, Paul Felix, of Clyde spent Tuesday forenoon in Maryville on business.

Mrs. F. H. Sandford of Lansing, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Tindall.

Mrs. J. E. Huff of near Wilcox was shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

Miss Julia Vincent of Shenandoah, Ia. was in Maryville Tuesday.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

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Quiet and easy to handle, fore door, four cylinder, 4 1/2 by 5 inch motor, 34 inch wheels with 4 inch tires, full floating axles.

Brass enameled, no polishing. Guaranteed for life. The factory will replace any defective parts free of charge during the life of the car.

Come in and look it over and take a ride.

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At Robey's Garage

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—7,500. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.

Hogs—16,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.27. Estimate tomorrow, 21,000.

Sheep—50,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—14,000. Market weak.

Hogs—12,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.00.

Sheep—15,000. Market 10c lower.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,600. Market strong.

Hogs—5,200. Market weak; top, \$7.00.

Sheep—3,000. Market 10c lower.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 18.

—Cattle receipts, 6,000. Steady to strong market today. Top steers, \$7.75. Best steers, \$7.00 or better, and butcher cattle unchanged since last Monday; plain to medium steers 15c lower. A steady prospect for all choice cattle.

Hog receipts, 11,000. Market 5@10c lower; top, \$7.30; bulk, \$7.00@7.25. Liberal receipts bound to break market.

Sheep receipts, 1,500. Market strong on good kinds today; others dull. Compared with last Monday, lambs are 25@35c higher; top, \$5.90, paid by a butcher today. Sheep 10@15c higher; top, \$2.65.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

Eggs Wanted at Evans' Variety Store. We carry a full line of underwear, hosiery, overalls, shirts, sweaters, ladies' skirts, outing flannels, muslin, table linen, overshoes, all kinds of notions. Two doors west of postoffice. 19-20

Will Winter in California.

Mrs. Sarah Kelley left Tuesday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend the fall and winter with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Wolf, who lives at 3792 Vermont avenue.

FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of age. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It corrects the constipation, dispels the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not take Dr. Caldwell's

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your life by healthy bowel action. Clogged bowels invite disease. Women about to pass the menstrual period cannot do better than use Syrup Pepsin several times a week until the system has settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr. W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and Mr. George S. Spaulding of the National Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both elderly men. The regular size bottles can be bought of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar, but a free sample bottle can be had by sending your address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at public sale at the Lewis Snapp farm 12 miles southwest of Maryville and 5 miles northwest of Barnard, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21st

The following property:

7 Head of Horses—1 pair brood mares, 4 and 5 years old, both bred to jack; 1 span driving mares, 4 years old, gentle, broke; one 2-year-old filly, 1 yearling mule, 1 weanling mule colt.

45 Head of Cattle—22 choice milk cows giving milk and as good a lot of milkers as you will find in the country, 8 yearling heifers, 14 head calves, 1 yearling Holstein bull.

86 Head of Hogs—40 spring shoats, 5 sows with 40 young pigs, one Chester White boar.

15 Tons of Hay—Some baled, balance in the barn.

Implement—1 wagon, spring wagon, disc cultivator, disc harrow, 2 walking cultivators, 1 go-devil, 1 plow, lister and drill combined. Some household and kitchen furniture. Cream separator and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch furnished by ladies of Pleasant Grove church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer, Jas. Fields, Clerk.

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First Week in October

TAFT REPLIES TO COURT CRITICS

Challenges Them to Substantiate Trust Charges.

CASE DISCUSSED IN SPEECH.

President Goes Over Standard Oil and Tobacco Trust Decisions at Detroit. Urges Opposition to Name Trade Restraint Not Condemned.

Detroit, Sept. 19.—President Taft plunged into the political phase of his long trip through the west, and delivered one of the set speeches which may have a determining effect upon his future. Mr. Taft chose the trusts for his first speech, and outlined at length his position regarding this issue.

In a second speech he answered the charge that he has used patronage to further his own ends, and challenged the men who had made the charge to come forward and join him in an extension of civil service practically to all of the appointive offices under the government.

The president announced his unqualified opposition to any amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law designed to overthrow the "rule of reason" laid down by the United States supreme court in the Standard Oil and tobacco trust cases, and challenged W. J. Bryan and all other critics of the court to cite a restraint of trade which they would condemn and which would not be condemned under Mr. Justice White's definition of the law.

At the chamber of commerce luncheon President Taft said, in part:

"My Fellow Citizens: I propose to take up the question which has occupied the attention of the American people for now twenty years, that of industrial combinations known as 'trusts'. During the last year we have had two great decisions by the supreme court of the United States. They are epoch making, and the public has not yet come to realize the effect that those decisions are certain to have. It is not that the construction which the court has put upon the act is different from that which most members of the profession, and most subordinate courts, and indeed the supreme court itself, had before indicated as the proper construction of the statute; but it is that it is now finally settled, by two fully considered decisions in respect to two of the largest and most powerful of these combinations, what their illegality consists in, and how they are to be treated, in view of the finding that they are illegal and do violate the provisions of the so called anti-trust or Sherman act.

"Persons who do not understand the effect of these decisions and really do not understand the law have a great deal to say which is intended to lead the public to the belief that in some way or other the supreme court has emasculated the statute and prevented its operation against objectionable and injurious trade combinations and conspiracies. Nothing is further from the truth.

"Now, I would like to ask Mr. Bryan or any other publicists and jurists who have been denouncing this opinion as the surrender of the rights of the people and a usurpation of judicial power to tell the public what particular contract or restraint of interstate trade he would condemn which would not be condemned within this definition of the court. The difficulty with the literal construction of the statute is that it would denounce a great many minor or incidental restraints of trade, which made the statute ridiculous and weakened its effect and lent support to the criticisms and contemptuous treatment of the statute by those who were opposed to its passage and enforcement.

"I repeat again, that in spite of all the denunciations that we have heard of the decisions of the supreme court in the Standard Oil and tobacco cases, there is not one who has criticized them that can formulate a contract in restraint of trade that ought to come within the statute that does not come within it under the decision of the supreme court.

"Under these conditions, I am entirely opposed to an amendment of the anti-trust law. It is now a valuable government asset and instrument. Tested and brought into practical and beneficial use by twenty years of litigation and construction by the highest court, why should we imperil its usefulness by experiments? The outcry sought to be raised in some quarters, followed by proposals of amendments prepared without a real understanding of the law or the court's decisions, may serve the purpose of promoting unreasonableness and unreasoning discontent, but certainly ought not to be considered seriously."

Farmers to Be Given Aid.

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 19.—Farmers of Tulsa county, who suffered from the drought of the last summer, are especially interested in a special county election today to vote \$600,000 in bonds for road improvement. Advocates of the movement have promised that if the bonds carry contracts will so be let that these farmers may obtain employment at road building. The passage of the bonds will make a total of \$1,000,000 available in the county for good roads.

M. KOKOVSOFF.

Russian Minister of Finance, Who Escaped As Stolypin Was Shot.



MADISON OF KANSAS DIES AT THE TABLE

Insurgent Congressman Stricken With Heart Disease.

Dodge City, Kan., Sept. 19.—Congressman Madison was attacked with heart failure while eating breakfast with his wife. Death was almost instantaneous. Following the attack, he was unable to speak. He died in the arms of his wife.

Mr. Madison's two daughters are in Washington D. C. No steps toward the funeral arrangements will be taken before tomorrow.

A physician reached the Madison home within a few minutes of the attack, but the congressman was dead. Physicians stated the cause of death was heart disease.

Congressman Madison had not been in good health for a year, being a sufferer from stomach trouble, but at no



E. H. MADISON.

time had his condition been alarming. During the recent session of congress he took an active part in the reciprocity debates. He was a member of the labor committee. He was also a member of the special committee which investigated Secretary Ballinger of the interior department.

Congressman Madison was one of the best known insurgent Republicans in congress. Public attention especially was drawn to him when on Sept. 7, 1910, while the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee was in session in Minneapolis he voted with the Democratic members in favor of a resolution providing for the removal of Secretary Ballinger from office.

Mr. Madison was born in Plymouth, Ill., in 1865. He came to Kansas in 1885. He was elected county attorney of Ford county in 1888. In 1900 he became a Kansas district judge, which position he resigned in 1906 to become a candidate for congress. He served in congress since that year.

This George Kimmel Out of Prison.

Auburn, N. Y., Sept. 19.—George Kimmel, a convict whom it is said, the New York Life Insurance company spent \$10,000 to locate and who claims to be George A. Kimmel of Niles, Mich., was released from Auburn prison and left for Niles to establish his identity. The insurance company maintains that he is Kimmel and declines to pay \$25,000 life insurance, while Edna Bonslett, sister of the true George A. Kimmel and beneficiary on the policies, together with her mother, Stella Kimmel, have denounced the convict as an impostor.

Veteran New York Democrat Is Dead.

New York, Sept. 19.—Assemblyman James Oliver, one of the veterans of the state legislature, known to his friends as "Paradise Jimmie," died here after a long illness.

LINES DRAWN IN CANADA

Big Clash Over Reciprocity Will Take Place Thursday.

EACH SIDE VERY CONFIDENT.

Premier Laurier Arrives in Ottawa in High Spirits and Expresses Confidence in Establishment of Reciprocity—Estimate of Opposition.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 19.—The lines were tightened in the political contest last week and organizations perfected, preparatory to the final clash Thursday in the big battle over reciprocity. The indications are that an enormous vote will be polled and that eighteen of the twenty-seven seats in the west will go to the government and nine to the opposition.

Outside of Winnipeg interest centers on three seats where former Canadian Pacific railway solicitors are running as anti-reciprocity candidates.

In Manitoba the opposition candidates are greatly aided by the Robin government organization. Despite this, the reciprocity feeling is so strong that the Liberals will probably add four seats to the two they had in the last parliament.

Each Side Confident.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 19.—Semi-official estimates of Canadian election results have been obtained from both parties and they show the greatest possible difference in expected results. Liberals are confident that the government will be returned and, after careful inquiry into the situation in each province and every constituency, claim the Laurier administration will have a clear majority of sixty-three. The estimate of the Conservatives has been made with equal care and they declare that the election will give Opposition Leader Borden a clear majority of thirty-nine seats.

Premier Laurier has arrived in Ottawa in high spirits and unimpaired health. To political friends here he expressed himself as increasingly assured of the continuance of his regime and the establishment of reciprocity.

MAINE WETS WIN BY 26

Official Returns Show That Majority for Repeal.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 19.—Complete official returns from the special election, when Maine voted on the question of the repeal of the constitutional prohibitory amendment, as canvassed by the governor and council showed a majority of twenty-six votes in favor of repeal. Various discrepancies were found in the official returns as compared with the tabulations compiled by the secretary of state's office. The latter indicated a majority for repeal of 128.

Strike on Three Irish Roads.

Dublin, Sept. 19.—The general strike declared on the Great Southern and Western railroad is spreading over three great systems, the Great Southern, the Midland Great Western and the Great Northern. Some of the main line trains were being operated in charge of apprentices and clerks. The strikers hurled stones at the trains and tried to shoot a signal man who refused to leave his box.

Two Slain in Street Fight.

Marion, Ill., Sept. 19.—Mat Mancuso and Salvatore Caccia, Italian miners living in White Row, a mining camp on the edge of Marion, were killed in a street fight. One of the men had eight gunshot wounds in his body. The sheriff formed a posse and chased the other combatants, two of whom were arrested. They refused to tell their names and were locked up.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

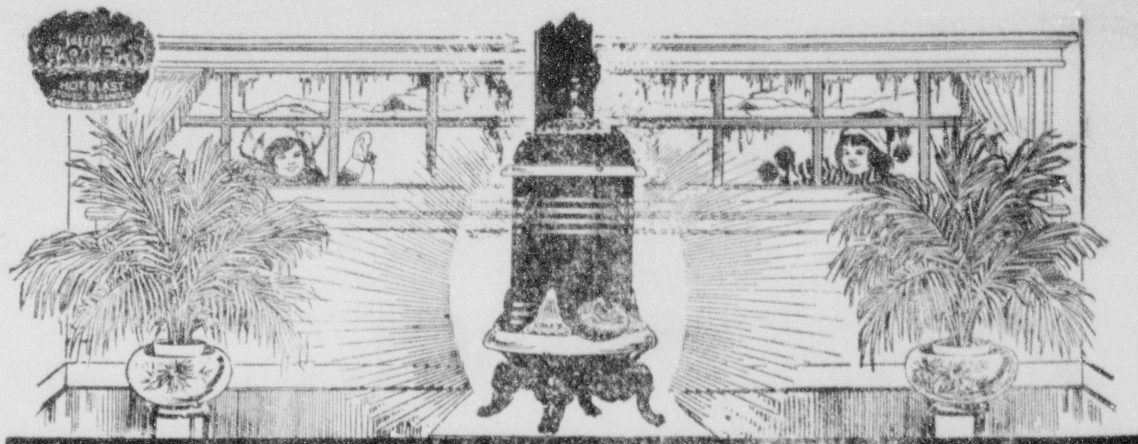
Chicago, Sept. 18.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 92½¢; Dec., 95½¢. Corn—Sept., 68¢; Dec., 64½¢. Oats—Sept., 42¢; 42½¢; Dec., 45½¢. Pork—Jan., \$15.25. Lard—Oct., \$9.27½; Jan., \$9.00. Ribs—Oct., \$8.46; Jan., \$8.05. Chicago, Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, 94½¢; No. 2 corn, 67½¢; No. 2 white oats, 44½¢; 45½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 23,000; steady to shade up; beefs, \$4.90@8.15; western steers, \$4.10@7.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.80; cows and heifers, \$2.25@6.25; calves, \$6.50@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; 5c off; light, \$6.80@7.32½; mixed, \$6.65@7.15; heavy, \$6.60@7.27½; rough, \$6.50@6.80; pigs, \$4.50@5.90; bulk, \$6.80@7.20. Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; steady; natives, \$2.25@4.15; westerns, \$2.50@4.15; yearlings, \$3.70@4.40; lambs, \$4.00@6.10.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000; steady; beef steers, \$5.00@6.25; cows and heifers, \$2.90@4.35; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@4.30; bulls, \$3.45@4.10; calves, \$4.25@7.50. Hogs—Receipts, 1,600; 5¢@10¢ lower; rough heavy, \$6.70@6.75; mixed, \$6.75@6.80; best underweight animals brought \$6.90. Sheep—Receipts, 38,000; 10¢ higher; good ewes brought \$2.50@3.65; choice wethers were wanted at \$3.85@4.00, and lambs ranged



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better finished heaters.

Cole Manufacturing Co.

Now is the time to select your heater. We will set one aside for you and have it ready when you wish it put up.

Burns Soft Coal, Slack, Lignite, Hard Coal, Wood and lighter fuel.

Come now while the assortment is complete.

Cole's Hot Blast Stoves and Ranges Sold With Confidence They are the Best Made.

CAMPBELL & CLARK

South Side Hardware Men

This Store Can Serve Your Needs Better Than any Other It Gives the Opportunity.

Drillers at Work Again.

The drillers at the Everhart ice plant began work again this morning, after a rest of three days. They were down to a depth of fifty feet when they quit work Friday evening. They have been hindered considerably by loose rock and by water which causes a tendency of cave in. Mr. Everhart's intentions are to go down until he finds sheet water, if it is possible to find it.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coulter of Arkoe were in Maryville on business Monday.

FOR INDIGESTION.

Bad Dreams, Nervousness, Bileousness and All Stomach Misery.

Go to the Orec-Henry Drug Co. today. Don't procrastinate—get a 50 cent box of Mi-o-na stomach tablets and get rid of all that annoying gas, sourness, heartburn, bloating and heaviness. The Orec-Henry Drug Co. guarantees them.

There wouldn't be so many deaths from acute indigestion if sufferers would constantly carry a few Mi-o-na tablets with them.

Read this from a man 64 years old and then decide whether you prefer to suffer longer or not.

"I am on my second box of Mi-o-na. I received relief after taking two doses. I feel like a different man. I am 64 years old and Mi-o-na is the best thing I ever used for stomach trouble."—J. M. Burger, R. F. D. No. 3, box 58, Wooster, Ohio. Fifty cents for a large box of stomach tablets at the Orec-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

No Room on the Bases.

The umpire scouts overlooked this indicator man. The following is a sample of his work:

The Atlanta, Ga., Deppens and the Birmingham, Ala., Gold Dusts, negro base ball teams, were playing a strenuous game in Atlanta. In one inning the Gold Dusts had the bases full with no outs. An ebony-hued batter stepped to the plate. The pitcher sent the sphere to the catcher.

"One ball," called the negro umpire. Again the pitcher got busy.

"Two balls!" called the umpire.

After the third ball pitched the man with the indicator shouted:

"Three balls!" Once more the sphere went across the plate.

"Fo' balls, yo' out!" shouted the umpire. The batter was highly indignant.

"What?" he yelled, "Me out? Whah yo' git dat, niggah?"

"Now, look a-heah, man," said the umpire; "yo' gotta be out. Dey ain't no room fo' yo' on the bases."

Charles Hyslop went to Kansas City Tuesday morning on business.

OWL NEST NO. 1482

Tuesday 8 p. m.

Initiation of Some

Real Thoroughbreds

Don't miss the fun.

Berney Harris, Pres.

John Hansen, Secy.

Miss Loah McElroy of the Alderman dry goods store went to Fairfax Tuesday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. H. A. Irwin.

Not a Word of Scandal

Marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spauld of Manville, Wyo., who said: "She told me Dr. King's New Life Pills had cured her of obstinate kidney trouble, and made her feel like a new woman." Easy, but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 25c at the Orec-Henry Drug Co.

Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vision—also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL AND SEE WELL IF YOU HAVE THEM FITTED AT

Raines Brothers

109 West Third Street.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to move to town I will sell at public auction at my farm 1 mile south and 1 mile east of Maryville, on

WEDNESDAY, THE 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER,

The following described property, to-wit:

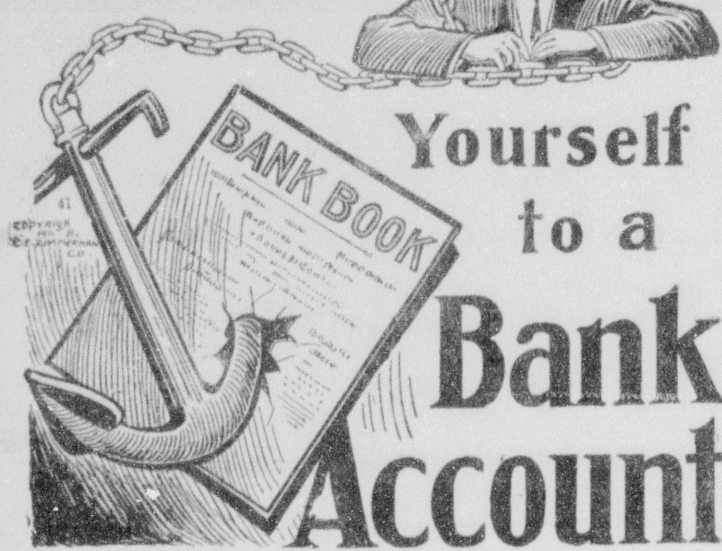
HORSES—1 family mare, weight 1,500 lbs.; 1 single driver 6 years old, weight 1,200 lbs., is bred to Roleofson's horse. **CATTLE**—3 extra good milch cows, 1 fresh; 4 head yearling heifers, 1 yearling steer, 1 spring calf. **HOGS**—5 brood sows and 40 spring shoats, weighing about 110 lbs. **IMPLEMENTS**—1 wagon, 1 surry, 1 buggy, 1 mowing machine and rake, 1 sweep rake, 1 disc harrow, 1 John Deere cultivator, 1 stirring plow, listing drill, 1 corn sheller. **GRAIN AND HAY**—200 bu. old corn, 25 tons hay. **MISCELLANEOUS**—150 chickens, 10 stands bees, 1 DeLaval cream separator, household and kitchen furniture, 2 sets buggy harness, 1 good set work harness.

Sale to commence at 10:30 o'clock sharp.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer
M. J. DOUGAN, Clerk.

JOHN MAHONEY

Anchor



Yourself
to a
**Bank
Account**

A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will HIS CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF TO MAKE GOOD.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL - - - - - \$100,000.00
SURPLUS - - - - - \$22,000.00

Features of the State Fair.

President W. H. Taft will spend the entire day of September 30 at the state fair as the guest of Governor Herbert S. Hadley, the board of directors of the fair and the people of Missouri. He will speak in the live stock pavilion at 10:30 a. m. In the afternoon he will be in the grand stand to witness the great live stock

parade, one section of which will be the greatest mule parade ever made. Governor Herbert S. Hadley will introduce President Taft to the Missouri audience, which will be at the state fair to greet him.

Aeroplanes will be in the air at Sedalia during the state fair most of the time. Hugh Robinson, with Curtis machines, will be the star aviator.

The implement exhibits will be extensive and the agricultural show will be great.

Free camp grounds are provided, and it is expected that thousands of visitors will be there in camp when President Taft arrives.

Special Fern Sale

Saturday, Sept. 23

Particulars in tomorrow's paper.

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES,
1201 South Main Street.
Hanamo 171-8, Bell 126.

Apples Wanted

Bring your apples to my place, east side square, and get the highest market price.

H. J. SCHAUB.
V. E. Davis, Agent.

Kane's Place

Liquors,
Wines,
Cigars,

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention

Waukesha

"Club House"

THE BEER OF QUALITY

Adolph Lippman

DISTRIBUTOR

Mail Orders Promptly Filled

STOLYPIN DIES OF HIS WOUNDS

Russian Premier Succumbs to
Assassin's Bullet.

REIGN OF TERROR FEARED.

Nihilists Said to Have Planned New
Campaign and Many Acts of Violence
Against Government Officials
Are Reported.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 19.—Premier Peter A. Stolypin died about 10 o'clock last night.

The early examination of the wounds inflicted upon the premier by Dmitry Bogroff led to hope for an early recovery. The rally followed immediately after the removal of the bullet by the surgeons in an effort to relieve the premier of the unbearable pain, of which he complained during Saturday night and which had thrown him into a state of depression where death seemed a welcome relief.

The bullet, which the doctors extracted, was of huge caliber and proved to have been purchased in Berlin. The head was deformed from striking the Vladimir cross, which adorned Stolypin's breast. The cross deflected the course of the bullet and deprived it of much of its penetrating power.

According to the police reports, the revolutionary bodies are showing signs of recovering from the staggering blow dealt them two years ago by the exposure of the dual role of Eugene Asef, who was at the same time head of the fighting socialists and a police spy. The revolutionists are now, the officials say, closing up their ranks in preparation for a new campaign.

Some time ago, Russian police agents abroad, in reports to their government, indicated that a new outbreak attended with terrorism was impending. Recent acts of violence directed against those in the employ of the government have appeared to give some substance to these reports.

T. W. BALLEW IS DEAD

Witness Against Mabray Gang Passes
Away at Excelsior Springs.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., Sept. 19.—T. W. Ballew, former wealthy Princeton (Mo.) man, who had a share in the first prosecution of the Mabray gang, died at his home here. Ballew moved to Kansas City a year ago.

It was an old friend of Ballew, John R. Dobbins, who drew him into the Mabray net. Dobbins professed to give Ballew some exclusive information on a horse race that was supposed to be "fixed." The wrong horse won and Ballew dropped \$30,000 on the race. He immediately instituted proceedings against Dobbins and James Mabray. Eventually they were both convicted.

Ballew's loss, including the bet and the money he spent in prosecuting members of the gang, amounted to approximately \$40,000.

Another Cave-In at Star Mine.

Leadville, Colo., Sept. 19.—Hope of recovering the three miners entombed in the Morning Star mine was dashed when another cave-in occurred. This will delay the rescue work another twenty-four hours. The prisoners are still in communication with the surface through 300 feet of three-inch pipe and want for nothing except blankets. They are in good spirits.

Foreigners Are Safe in Chengtu.

Peking, Sept. 19.—The British consul here received a dispatch from Chengtu reading: "Foreigners have not been molested and are being treated civilly. There has been no fighting within the city since Sept. 7, but there have been several engagements outside the walls, the insurgents losing considerable and the loyal troops inconceivable."

Rodgers Out of Commission.

Midtown, N. Y., Sept. 19.—In attempting to resume his flight to the Pacific coast C. P. Rodgers crashed into a tree and fell with his aeroplane thirty-five feet to the ground. The airman received scalp wounds, not serious, but his machine was wrecked so badly that he probably will be unable to fly until tomorrow.

Octave Chanute's Only Son Dies.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Sept. 19.—Oscar B. Chanute, only son of the late Octave Chanute, father of the aeroplane, died in the City of Mount Vernon. The death was caused by a cigarette burn on his arm ten days ago.

Two Killed During Storm in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Two persons were killed, twenty injured and a property damage estimated at \$100,000 resulted from a storm which was a remarkable combination of lightning, thunder, wind, rain and hail. It swept through the city from the west and continued for several hours.

Germany's Answer to France.

Berlin, Sept. 19.—Foreign Minister von Kiderlin-Waechter received the French ambassador, M. Cambon, at the foreign office and presented to him Germany's answer to the latest proposals of France relative to the Moroccan dispute.

(First insertion Sept. 19; last, Sept. 26)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that sealed bids will be received by the city clerk up to 6 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, September 26, 1911, for the building and construction of cement sidewalks as hereinafter enumerated.

A cement sidewalk along and adjacent to the entire north side of a tract of land described as commencing where the north line of Sixth street intersects the east line of the northwest quarter (34) of the southeast quarter (34) of section eighteen (18), township sixty-four (64), range thirty-five (35), thence north two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence west six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet; thence south two hundred and seventy-six (276) feet; thence east six hundred and twenty-seven (627) feet, to the place of beginning, excepting that portion of the above described tract which is owned and occupied by the Wabash Railroad company as right-of-way, said sidewalk to be four feet in width, and four hundred and twenty-seven (427) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the west side of Walnut street, along and adjacent to the east side of lots one (1) and two (2), in quarter block one (1), T. L. Robinson's addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Twelfth street, along and adjacent to the entire south side of the east half of lot one (1), in block twenty-five (25), of W. R. Saunders' addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and thirty-eight (38) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Market street, lying along and adjacent to the entire west side of lots three (3) and four (4), in block eight (8) original town, now city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four (4) feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Fifth street, along and adjacent to the entire north side of lot one (1), in block twelve (12), northwest extension or addition to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of a tract of land described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty feet east of the southwest corner of lot five, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, and extending thence north to the north line of said lot five, thence east along the north line of said lot five and the north line of lot six, northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, to a point thereon due north of a point on the south line of said lot six, three hundred and six (306) feet west of the southeast corner of said lot six, thence south to the south line of said lot six, thence west to place of beginning, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and three hundred and eighty-nine (389) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the south side of lot seven (7), northern boundary, original town, now city of Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and sixty-six (66) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the north side of First street, along and adjacent to the south side of lots eleven and twelve, block fifty-seven (57), Maryville City company's addition to the city of Maryville, Missouri, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-seven (137) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the east side of Fillmore street, along and adjacent to the west side of lot eight (8), in block two (2), and sixteen feet off the south side of lot seven (7), in block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and seventy-three (73) feet in length.

A cement sidewalk on the south side of Seventh street, along and adjacent to the north side of the north one-third (1-3) of one-half (1-2) block two (2), northwest extension to the city of Maryville, said sidewalk to be four feet in width and one hundred and thirty-three (133) feet in length.

Each and every one of the above sidewalks to be built upon the established line and grade, which will be indicated by stakes set by the city engineer without cost to the contractor.

The contractor to use due care in preserving said stakes, and if they should have to be reset, it will be at the expense of the contractor. Each and every one of the above sidewalks are to be built of cement, and in manner and form as provided by the specifications for sidewalks of cement, as set out in section 4-C of ordinance No. 221 of the city of Maryville, as recorded at pages 67-70 of ordinance record No. 8, of the city of Maryville, Missouri.

The work of building and construction shall include all grading, filling or excavation necessary therefor, and the cost of all labor and material and the cost of removal of any and all obstruction from the line of said sidewalks, and shall be completed on or before the first day of November, 1911.

BIDS.

The sidewalk along each and every lot or tract will be let as a separate job, and contractors will file a separate bid for each and every lot they desire to build, said bids to be sealed and filed with the city clerk of the city of Maryville by six o'clock p. m. on the 26th day of September, 1911, and each bidder shall enclose with each bid a certified check on some Maryville bank for ten per cent of the total amount of such bid. The board of aldermen reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

In case a bidder to whom a contract is awarded shall fail, neglect or refuse to enter into a good and sufficient contract with the city of Maryville for the work bid on, and execute to said city a good and sufficient bond for double the amount of his bid, conditioned on the faithful performance of his contract, then the said check shall be forfeited to the city of Maryville.

SUPERVISION.

All of said work shall be done under the supervision of the city engineer, and in accordance with the specifications above referred to, and to the satisfaction of said city engineer.

Upon the completion of the work and the report of the city engineer that said walks have been built in accordance with the specifications hereinbefore referred to, the board of aldermen shall levy a special assessment against each lot or parcel of ground along which a sidewalk is built for the total amount of the cost thereof, payable to the contractor doing said work, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum after thirty days from the date of issuance, which tax bill shall be delivered to the contractor in full payment for the said work. A copy of the specifications above referred to and any further information required by contractors can be obtained at the office of either the city clerk or the city engineer.

PAYMENT FOR WORK.

Witness my hand this 18th day of September, 1911.

C. L. GANN, City Clerk.
By authority of ordinance No. 515.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-1f

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

LOST—Solid gold round brooch with head carved in center. Please return to Adella S. Grems. 16-19

FOR RENT—Furnished 6-room cottage, modern. Inquire 304 West Fourth street. 16-19

FOR SALE—Indian Runner ducks. Prices right. D. F. Burke, 703 East Seventh street, Maryville, Mo. 16-19

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage, close in. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-1f

FOR SALE—Sixty acres or less with good improvements, one mile south-west of Maryville limits. J. J. Barr.

FOR SALE—McCormick corn binder, as good as new. T. W. Costello, 321 North Market street. 5-1f

FOR RENT—cottage of five rooms, corner Fourth and Buchanan. N. Sisson. 1f

LOST—Lady's gold watch. Finder please leave at 605 North Mulberry or call Hanamo 139 or Bell 37. Reward. 19-21

LOST—Large black pocketbook, handbag. No money; pair tan kid gloves, piece of silk. Mrs. John H. Anderson. 18-20

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red. 9-1f

WE WANT you to know we are selling the McCormick binder twine at 8c per pound. The best in America. You know me. L. R. Holt. 1f

FOR SALE—Seventy-five heating stoves, all sizes and kinds, also a large amount of other furniture. Anthony, the second-hand man. Hanamo phone 258 Red. Store 207 West Third street.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs of spring farrow, male and female, of no kin. Come and see them. A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo. R. F. D. 3. Farmers phone 1-13. 14-1f

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire, tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage, health. Contract and court bonds promptly executed.

For rent—Several dwellings, one with furnace, bath and electric lights. R. L. McDUGAL.

Abstracts of title, insurance and loans.

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as \$6.00 per month. For particulars write Oliver Music Co. St. Joseph, Mo. 78-d&w-1f

Sang in Assembly.

Miss Hazel Everhart and Miss Glen Hotchkiss sang a duet, "Down by the Sea," in high school assembly Monday, which was highly pleasing.

The Cause of Eczema

Is germ life that burrows under and feeds on the skin. The way to cure Eczema is to remove the cause by washing away with a clean, penetrating liquid, the germ life and poisons that cause the trouble.

We have a preparation that will do this. The first application will stop the itching and give prompt relief to an irritated, itching or inflamed skin. If you are a sufferer from skin or scalp eruption in any form, try one bottle of this clean scientific preparation. We are confident you will be pleased with the results from the use of this standard preparation for eczema.

Good for infants as well as grown persons. Charles Love's drug store.

Say, Have You Ever

Bought any coal from Frank G. Shoemaker and had it delivered with the big white wagon? Those white wagons don't make a bad appearance on the streets of the city do they? And the horses look like they had enough to eat too. So do the drivers. The scales and yards are kept up in the same way, and that system of doing business makes it a legitimate mercantile business, like any other business of the city, and worthy of your patronage if prices and coals are right, and they are—because I am behind every pound of coal sold. If it is not right I will see that all is satisfactory or money refunded. Let me figure with you for your winter coal.

Yours truly,

F. G. SHOEMAKER, Sr.

AMERICAN FENCE Campbell & Clark

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

B. R. Martin's Law Office.

I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday or each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN, Maryville, Mo.

K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.,

SURGERY AND GENERAL PRACTICE

Office over First National Bank. Calls answered promptly day or night. All phones.

F. R. Anthony, M. D.

Practice limited to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All phones. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.

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First class clothes cleaning and repairing shop. Phones, Hanamo 402, 116 1/2 South Main.

H. J. BECKER, Proprietor.

Chas. E. Stilwell.

Attorney and Counselor at Law.

Office over Maryville National Bank, Maryville, Mo.

DR. G. H. LEACH,

Deputy State Veterinarian and Stock Inspector.

Office, Star Barn. All phones.

CLINE & MORGAN.

Graduate and Registered VETERINARY SURGEONS AND DENTISTS.

Office at Gray's feed barn. Phones Hanamo 93, Farmers 162.

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I. J. WALKER,

Electrical Wiring, Fixtures.

Supplies

Bell phone 91 120 1/2 West 3rd st.

FRANK MARTIN & SON,

PLUMBING AND HEATING.

We Solicit Your Business

All phones. Maryville, Mo.

J. L. FISHER

Repairing Guns, Bicycles, Gas Engines and Automobiles.

Robey's Garage, 115 West Fourth St.

F. S. GRUNDY.

PLUMBING AND HEATING.

We Never Sleep

Hanamo 46, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo.

Van Steenbergh & Son

Dry Cleaning, Pressing
Phone Hanamo 279

WANTED.

Your pump and repair work. Pumps, windmills, scales, etc., of all kinds sold and repaired by E. J. Bailey, the pump man at Armstrong's foundry. Bell phone, office 114, residence 279; Hanamo, residence 259 Red. Farmers 121.